Funds For Lagoon Approved

State matching funds for Sedalia's southwest sewage lagoon might receive legislative approval next month, shortly after the General Assembly reconvenes in Jefferson City, The Democrat-Capital learned Friday.

Bob Hentges, director of the construction grant program for the Water Pollution Board, said Friday the Sedalia project was included in a $20,454,545 sum as part of a $23 million emergency appropriation bill approved Thursday by Gov. Warren E. Hearnes.

State Comptroller John C. Vaughn, who announced the appropriations approval, said Thursday money for sewage treatment projects would be derived from the $150 million water pollution bond issue approved by Missouri voters Oct. 5.

Hentges said that Sedalia's project is currently being reviewed by the Environment Protection Agency in Kansas City. State matching funds for the local project equal 25 per cent of the project cost, or about $275,550.

The city would pay for 20 per cent of the costs, or $220,550. Sedalia currently has a funded account for sewer project work of $554,000. The remaining 55 per cent of the cost would be carried by the federal government.

Hentges explained that the $20,454,545 figure was reached by the state after it was learned that the federal government would have about $45 million to spend on matching funds for sewage treatment plants in Missouri before the fiscal year beginning July 1. He added that, pending legislative approval, all funds necessary to get work in high gear on the local project would be available within a few months.

About $606,000 in federal funds is slated for the $1,250,000 Sedalia sewer project. According to City Engineer Bob Cunningham, the city has already spent about $200,000 in preliminary work and land easement purchases for the sewage lagoon, which had been stalled for sometime due to the lack of state and federal funds.

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Indo-Pak War Is Over; Establish Bangla Desh

By THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

The war between India and Pakistan ended today, with the new nation of Bangla Desh established in East Pakistan. In 14 days of fighting more than 2,000 Indian soldiers died, at least that many Pakistanis and uncounted civilians.

President Agha Mohammed Yayha Khan of Pakistan accepted India's proposal for a cease-fire on the western front.

"I am accepting the Indian proposal for a cease-fire in the interest of peace and stability on the subcontinent," he said.

Yahya ordered Pakistani forces in West Pakistan to halt the fighting at 9:30 a.m., EST, the time set by India in a unilateral cease-fire. Only 24 hours earlier he had vowed to fight "until all occupied areas are taken back."

India announced the cease-fire Thursday after Pakistan's army had surrendered in East Pakistan, 1,000 miles from the western front.

Prime Minister Indira Gandhi greeted Yahya's acceptance by saying: "I must be careful because I don't know yet whether it will be a full peace."

Official sources in New Delhi said India suffered more than 10,000 casualties in the war on both fronts—2,307 killed, 6,163 wounded, and 2,163 missing. Of these 1,021 were killed in the east and 1,286 in the west, they added.

There have been no figures on Pakistan losses, but the Indian Defense Ministry says Pakistan's losses are much higher than India's—and few doubt this.

The future of Yahya Khan's military government is in doubt. He had moved recently to transfer control to civilians, and this trend will gain impetus under such men as Zulfikar Ali Bhutto. As deputy prime minister and foreign minister, he says Pakistan should have democratic government soon.

Lt. Gen. J. S. Aurora, who accepted Pakistan's surrender in Dacca, said his troops will remain in East Pakistan for a time to help repatriate war prisoners, re-establish law and order and communications, and help with the return of Bengali refugees from India. He expected most Indian forces to withdraw within weeks.

The general said the defeated soldiers from West Pakistan were being allowed to keep their weapons until they arrived in POW camps because of fear that vengeful Bengalis "would butcher them" in reprisal for the Pakistani Army's war on the Bengali independence forces since last March.

"The bitterness in Dacca— you have to see it to believe it," he told reporters.

Aurora said he expected all Pakistani troops to be disarmed within two days and movement of the prisoners of war to India to begin "as soon as it can."

Adjourn at Noon

Finish Action On Foreign Aid

WASHINGTON (AP) — The House completed action on a temporary foreign aid appropriation bill today and adjourned at 12:59 p.m. EST until Jan. 18.

The Senate was ready to follow suit shortly and wind up the lengthy first session of the 92nd Congress.

The last legislative act of the House was acceptance of Senate amendments to the foreign aid bill which the Senate had passed earlier in the day, 45 to 9. The bill keeps the foreign aid program in operation until Feb. 22 at a rate equal to $2.8 billion annually.

Earlier, the Senate had approved 33 to 21 a bill authorizing foreign aid expenditures totaling $2.75 billion.

The money measure included $2.37 billion in new funds and $452 million in appropriations authorized under prior legislation.

Absenteeism pulled the Senate roster down near the level required to do business.

It takes a quorum of 51 senators for the Senate to transact any business.

After the first foreign aid vote drew 54 senators, Democratic Leader Mike Mansfield of Montana urged everybody to stay close by the chamber.

Even though the House is not going to act on the authorization bill until next year, Senate approval of that long-deadlocked measure was the key ingredient in the compromise that opened the way for adjournment.

The next, and presumably final, order of business for the Senate was a resolution to appropriate foreign aid money until Feb. 22, while the next session of Congress works on a regular appropriation bill for the program.

The aid money resolution would authorize spending at a rate equal to $2.37 billion a year, through Feb. 22.

When House and Senate have settled on the money measure, the 92nd Congress will be ready to adjourn until Jan. 18.

The House, its legislative work completed, awaited Senate action on the foreign-aid funding measure but decided to put off a vote on the authorization measure until January.

The question of foreign-aid funds had threatened to tie up adjournment until Thursday's surprise action by Rep. William F. Ryan, D-N.Y., to force a new House vote on the amendment requiring total U.S. withdrawal from Indochina within six months.

Taking advantage of a House rule, Ryan moved to force the House conferees to accept the amendment, offered by Senate Democratic Leader Mike Mansfield.

Rep. Thomas Morgan, D-Pa., chairman of the House Foreign Affairs Committee and of its foreign-aid conferees, moved to table and thus kill Ryan's motion, succeeding by the vote of 130 to 101.

As a result of the vote, Senate conferees suddenly dropped their demand that the House schedule a yes-or-no vote on the Mansfield amendment, and the foreign-aid conference met for the first time in 13 days.

Asked why the Senate conferees accepted the House vote as a conclusive one on the Mansfield amendment, Sen. J.W. Fulbright, D-Ark., replied that Mansfield "said it was the closest we could get" to a direct vote.

The conferees promptly agreed to drop the Mansfield amendment, marking the third time this year it has passed the Senate but failed to pass Congress.

But they agreed to include a $341-million spending limit on U.S. operations in Cambodia, excluding U.S. support of South Vietnamese operations, and a personnel limit of 285.

In Sea Chase Incident

Criticize Nixon Concern

MIAMI, Fla. (AP) — Havana radio has termed President Nixon's stated concern over the attack on the freighter Johnny Express "unheard of cynicism" and promised further reprisals against so-called pirate ships.

The broadcast, monitored in Miami today, was in reply to Nixon's statements Thursday after he met with Isabel Villa, wife of the wounded and captured captain of the Johnny Express.

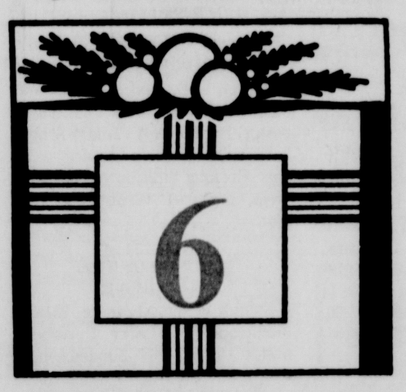
At that time, press secretary Ronald L. Ziegler reported Nixon had expressed "grave concern" over the attack Wednesday and said the United States would demand the immediate return of Capt. Jose Villa, naturalized U.S. citizen. Nixon told Mrs. Villa he would do all he could to help her.

Broadcasting an editorial from Granma, the official newspaper of the Cuban Communist party, Havana radio said: "The Yankee imperialists have perpetrated dozens of criminal attacks against Cuba, from organized bases in Central America, Haiti, the Dominican Republic, and from their own territory in the United States. And now they have the unheard of cynicism of speaking of violations of international law and of the right of free navigation."

The broadcast did not specify what attacks it referred to.

Meanwhile, in Prospect Heights, Ill., the chairman of the Remember the Pueblo Committee, the Rev. Paul Lindstrom, said he had received word that one of the 14 members of the Johnny Express had died of wounds he suffered in Wednesday's attack by a Cuban gunboat some 120 miles off Cuba's eastern coast.

Lindstrom said the dead man was a naturalized citizen. He also said his sources had informed him that Capt. Villa was seriously wounded in the back, legs and arms by machine-gun bullets and that the ship and crew members were being held in Port La Isabela, in Cuba's central Las Villas Province.



SHOPPING DAYS TO CHRISTMAS

Jury Hears Rereading

FT. MEADE, Md. (AP) — Deliberating for the second day in the court-martial of Col. Oran K. Henderson, the jury heard a rereading today of testimony given by Brig. Gen. Samuel W. Koster, an officer demoted for what happened at My Lai.

The jurors gave no reason for their request to hear again what Koster said. He was a witness for the prosecution and testified Henderson told him several times that only 20 civilians were killed in the South Vietnamese village, that they died accidentally and that further investigation was unwarranted.

One of the three charges against Henderson is that he failed to report a war crime to Koster, the commander of the Americal Division and his immediate superior.

When the Army first filed charges against Koster, Henderson and other officers, Koster was commandant of West Point and a major general. He resigned his post. The charges of failure to obey regulations and dereliction of duty were dropped in Koster's case but he was stripped of one star.

The jury began its first full day of deliberation at 8:39 a.m. in the red-carpeted courtroom that has been the arena for Henderson's trial since August.

weather

Clear and cold tonight with the low 15 to 20; winds becoming easterly 5 to 12 by morning; increasing cloudiness and warmer on Saturday; highs Saturday in the 40s, probabilities of measurable rain 5 per cent tonight and Saturday. The temperature today was 26 at 7 a.m. and 38 at noon. Low Thursday night was 25.

Lake of the Ozarks stage: 58.7; 1.3 feet below full reservoir. Sunset today will be at 4:53 p.m.; sunrise Saturday at 7:26 a.m.

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Prison Plan Setback In Committee Talks

JEFFERSON CITY, Mo. (AP) — A maximum security prison planned for Steele, Mo., took another punch Thursday as a group of Missourians told the Senate Appropriations Committee the $9 million could be better spent in community rehabilitation centers.

Building a maximum security unit in Missouri has had its share of objections since the original request came up several years ago.

The site at Steele was strongly opposed by many on the theory that the Pemiscot County community is too distant from urban cultural centers and that could hamper rehabilitation opportunities for inmates.

Fred T. Wilkinson, director of corrections, earlier testified he could see no difference between Steele and its people and other communities.

As for the cultural resources, he said, in the six years he has been director, "none of those people came knocking at our doors in Moberly" which is located near the University of Missouri at Columbia. He said about the only time they came around is when they need help getting a grant.

Henry J. Waters III, publisher of the Columbia, Mo., Tribune and member of the Mid-Missouri Regional Law Enforcement Council, said community centers—like one in Columbia—could be started at no more cost than the per capita cost ($6.61) of keeping a man in correctional institutions.

Says Annual Contest Judging Is 'Unfair'

An unsigned postcard to Chamber of Commerce Executive Manager Chuck Lawrence Friday insinuated the annual Chamber Christmas home decorating contest was judged unfairly.

"You say you haven't had many entries in the home lighting contest. People have lost interest because the same persons win every year with the same old, tired decorations. This has happened several years in a row and it isn't a good idea ..." the postcard said.

In defending the contest, Lawrence said that two of the judges this year would be from out of town and the other is a new resident in Sedalia. He said in past years, three new Sedalia residents acted as judges. The judges were not named.

Lawrence said the contest was set up to give the best entrants every opportunity to win. He said he could understand the disappointments some contestants might feel if one entry won first-place several years in a row. "I would be glad to talk to anyone with reasonable suggestions and ideas on how the contest could be improved and made as fair as possible," he said.

Lawrence added the deadline for entering the decoration contest was 5 p.m. Friday. He said judging would be held from 6:30 to 10:30 p.m. Wednesday.

There are 23 entrants in this year's competition. They are: Kennie Miller, 1223 West Third; Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Fidler, 2502 Albert Lee; Mr. and Mrs. Herb Brandes, 2402 Margaret; Jeff Brown, Walnut Hills; Keith Hawkins, Walnut Hills; Doug Cline, 1716 South Beacon; Mr. and Mrs. Fred Karigan, 1842 South Beacon; Charlotte Glenn, 2021 South Grand.

Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Collins, 400 West 22nd; Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Wissman, 318 West 20th; Patty and Cindy Smith, 508 East 19th; Mr. and Mrs. John Brandkamp, Route 1; Dave Goldsmith, 718 East 24th; James Goodbee, 1300 East 14th; Mr. and Mrs. Harold Vestal, 1207 East 11th; Mr. and Mrs. James Cruzan, 710 East 11th; Mr. and Mrs. Roy B. Scarbrough, 1002 East 12th; Rodney Gooch, 1800 East 14th; Mrs. Wayne Lefevers, 1319 East 16th; Mr. and Mrs. Walter Long, 1607 South Monroe; Mr. and Mrs. William Staley, 1606 South Marshall; Lynn Hudson, 800 West Fourth; Mr. and Mrs. Leo Gerke, 201 East Tower.

Prizes to be awarded in the contest will be $75, first place; $50, second place; $25, third place and an honorable mention for fourth place.

Christmas Visit Cheers Both Young and Old



Gifts Galore

More than 100 persons attended a Christmas party at the Fairview Nursing Home Thursday. Sedalia's Moose Lodge No. 1494, which sponsored the party, gave gifts to the 54 residents of the nursing home. Here, Santa Claus (past Moose governor T. J. McNally, 1016 South Harrison) takes time to visit with Miss Rebie Shaeffer, who celebrated her 87th birthday Wednesday. Mrs. Oscar Chatman, nursing home administrator welcomed the guests.

(Democrat-Capital Photo)



'I Love You, Too'

Christmas brings family members closer. Here, two-year-old Doug Wallace sits in grandma's lap exchanging seasonal pleasantries. Doug is the son of Mr. and Mrs. James Wallace, 1221 South Kentucky. His 72-year-old grandmother, Mrs. Blanche Scott, is a resident of Fairview Nursing Home where Doug visited her during a Christmas party Thursday.

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Seventh Day Adventist, 2107 E. 12th, Sabbath (Saturday) School, 10 a.m.; Worship 11 a.m. Pastor Gary L. Gray.

ASSEMBLIES OF GOD

First Assembly of God, 6th and Summit, Rev. Floyd T. Buntenbach, pastor. Res. Ph. 826-6348. Off. Ph. 826-7650; Sunday School 9:30 a.m.; Morning Worship 10:45 a.m. Evangelistic Service 7 p.m.; Midweek service Wednesday 7:30 p.m.

Longwood, Rev. Paul Park, pastor. Sunday School 10 a.m. Preaching 11 a.m. Evangelistic service 8 p.m. Midweek service Wednesday at 8 p.m.

Sweet Springs Assembly of God, Rev. Thomas Cannon, pastor. Sunday school 9:45 a.m. Worship service 10:45 a.m. Evening worship service 7:30 p.m. Midweek service Wednesday 7:30 p.m.

Westside, Tenth and State Fair. Sunday school, 9:30 a.m.; Sunday services, 10:35 a.m. and 7 p.m.; Prayer meeting, 7:30 p.m. Wednesday. Rev. A. Wilson Phillips. Off. 826-9236. Res. 826-9568.

BAPTISTS

Antioch, 4 miles north of Ionia on State Road ZZ. Sunday School Every Sunday at 10 a.m., worship service at 11 a.m. and 8 p.m., the first, third and fifth Sundays.

Bethany, North Park and Cooper, the Rev. Jerry Brock, pastor. Ph. 826-8743. Sunday School 9:30 a.m. 826-8743 (office) 827-2420 (home) Sunday School 9:30 a.m. Morning Worship 10:35 a.m. Evening Worship 7 p.m. Wednesday Prayer Service 7:30 p.m.

Bethlehem. Five miles south of Sedalia on Grand Avenue Road. Sunday School 10 a.m. Worship Service 11 a.m. Sunday evening service 8; Rev. Terry W. Siron, pastor.

Broadway, 2119 East Broadway, Rev. Raymond Knox, pastor. Ph. 826-1557. Sunday School, 9:30 a.m.; Worship, 10:30 a.m.; Evening Worship, 7:30 p.m; Wednesday service, 7:30 p.m.

Bunceton, the Rev. Corydon Hudson, pastor. Sunday school, 10 a.m; morning worship, 11 a.m.; evening worship 7:30 p.m.

Burns Chapel, 207 E. Pettis, Rev. W.L. Jackson, pastor. Res. Ph. 826-2076. 405 N. Osage. Sunday School 9:30 a.m. Morning Worship 11 a.m. Evening Worship 7:30 p.m.

Calvary, (Southern Baptist), 16th and Quincy, Rev. Charles Hendrickson, pastor. Ph. 826-5011. Sunday School 9:30 a.m. Morning Worship 10:45 a.m. Training Union 6:15 p.m. Evening Worship 7:30 p.m. Wednesday Prayer Meeting 8 p.m.

Camp Branch, 32nd Street Road between Sedalia and Green Ridge, Sunday School 10 a.m.; Worship 11 a.m.; Training Union 7 p.m.; Evening Worship 8; Wednesday Service 7:30 p.m. James Mitchell, pastor.

County Line, 6½ miles northwest of LaMonte. Rev. Barry Black, pastor. Sunday School 10 a.m. Worship 11 a.m.

Dresden. Sunday school, 10 a.m.; Worship, 11 a.m.; Sunday evening service, 7; Prayer meeting, 7 p.m. Wednesday. Rev. Claude Newman.

East Sedalia (Southern Baptist), 1019 East Fifth. Sunday School, 9:15 a.m.; Sunday school, 9:15 a.m.; Sunday services, 10:30 a.m. and 7:30 p.m.; Training Union, 6:15 p.m.; Prayer meeting and Bible study, 7:30 p.m. Wednesday. Rev. Medford E. Speaker. Off. 826-3887. (Messages interpreted for the deaf.)

Emmett Avenue, corner of Walnut and Emmett, Rev. Jack Rowley, pastor. Off. Ph. 826-1695. Sunday School 9:30 a.m. Morning Worship 10:30 a.m. Evening Worship 7:30 p.m. Prayer Meeting Wednesday 7:30 p.m. Training Union 6:30 p.m.

Faith Baptist, (Independent Fundamental) 24th and Ingram, Rev. Jene A. Cook, pastor. Res. Ph. 826-5414. Off. Ph. 827-1394. Sunday School 9:45 a.m. Morning Worship 10:45 a.m. Youth meeting 4:15 p.m. Training Union 6:15 p.m. Evening Worship 7 p.m. Prayer Meeting Wednesday 7:30 p.m.

First Baptist (Southern Baptist), 6th and Lamine, Rev. George T. Miller, pastor. Ph. 826-2160. Sunday School 9:30 a.m. Worship 10:45 a.m. Evening Worship 7:10 p.m. Prayer Meeting Wednesday 7:30 p.m.

Flat Creek, Rev. Bill Boatman, pastor. Sunday School at 10 a.m. Preaching every Sunday 11 a.m. and 8:30 p.m.

First Missionary Baptist Mission, temporarily meeting at Sixth and Massachusetts. Sunday School, 9:45 a.m. Preaching, 11 a.m. B.T.C. 6 p.m. Preaching, 7 p.m. Wednesday Evening Service 7 p.m.

Pastor W. H. Menasco. Ph. 827-2706. Associated with the American Baptist Assn.

Green Ridge (Harmony Association). Sunday school, 10 a.m.; Worship, 11 a.m.; Youth meeting, 6 p.m.; Evening worship, 7. Prayer meeting, 7 p.m. Wednesday. Rev. Ray Grubb.

Hickory Point, five miles northwest of Green Ridge on AA. Sunday School 10 a.m. Worship service: 11 a.m.; Training Union: 7:30 p.m.; Evening service: 8 Prayer service: Wednesday, 7 p.m. Pastor: Rev. Eugene Edwards.

Hopewell, nine miles north on State Road EE. Sunday school 10 a.m. Worship service 10:45 a.m. Evening service 7. Rev. Keith Springer.

Houstonia, Rev. Gary Hawkins. Sunday School 10 a.m. Worship 11 a.m. Training Union 6:30. Evening Worship 7:30. Wednesday evening prayer meeting 7:45.

Hughesville, Rev. Jerry McGee, pastor. Sunday School 10 a.m. Preaching services 11 a.m. Evening Worship 8 p.m.

Lamine (Harmony Assn.), Rev. Ben Walden, pastor. Sunday School, 10 a.m. Preaching service every Sunday, 11 a.m. Prayer meeting 7 p.m. Wednesdays. Sunday night services at 7 p.m.

LaMonte, Rev. David Schawo, pastor. Sunday School 9:45 a.m. Morning Worship 10:45 a.m. Evening Worship 7 p.m. Wednesday prayer service 7:30 p.m.

Memorial, 20 miles northeast of Sedalia. Rev. John J. Oren, pastor. Sunday School 10 a.m. Worship Service, 11 a.m. Evening Worship 8 p.m. Wednesday prayer meeting and Bible study 8 p.m.

Mt. Herman, North Highway 65, Rev. Dennis Davis, pastor. Sunday School 9:30 a.m.; morning worship 10:30. Bible study 6:30 p.m.; Sunday evening worship 7:15 p.m. Prayer service 7 p.m. Wednesday.

Mt. Olive, JJ 5 miles northeast of Florence. Rev. Leroy Moon, pastor. Sunday morning services; Sunday School 10 a.m. Worship 11 a.m. Sunday evening; Training Union 7 p.m. Worship 8 p.m. Weekday services: Wednesday at 7:30 p.m.

New Hope, 664 East 16th. Sunday school, 9:30 a.m.; Worship, 10:45 a.m.; Training Union, 6 p.m.; Evening worship, 7; Midweek service, 7:30 p.m. Wednesday. Rev. Dean Catlett.

New Salem Baptist Church, Marshall Junction, Rev. Albert W. Bunch, pastor. Sunday School, 9:45 a.m.; Morning Worship, 11 a.m.; Evening Worship, 7:30 p.m.

Northside New Hope, 402 West Henry. Rev. Mrs. A. M. Williams, pastor. Phone: 826-8228. Sunday School 9:30 a.m. Worship service 11 a.m. Sunday evening service 7:30. Prayer meeting 7:30 p.m. Wednesday.

Olive Branch, Route 5, Sedalia, on State Road O. Sunday School 10 a.m.; Worship service 11 a.m.; Evening service 7 p.m.; Bible study, 8 p.m. Wednesday.

Otterville, Rev. Warren F. Haley, pastor. Sunday school 9:45 a.m.; Worship service 10:45 a.m. Training 6:30 p.m. Worship service 8 p.m.

Providence. North of Smithton on Highway 135. Sunday school 10 a.m. Morning worship 11 a.m. Evening worship 7:30 p.m.

Sedalia Harmony, 11th and Lafayette Ave., Dr. J.J. Rodewald, pastor. Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Morning Worship, 11 a.m. Training Union 6:30 p.m.; Evening Worship, 7:30 p.m.; Wednesday Bible Study, 7:30 p.m.

Smithton (Southern Baptist) Rev. Kenneth L. Gray, Pastor. Ph. 343-5556. Sunday School, 9:30 a.m.; Worship 10:30 a.m.; Church Training 6:45 p.m.; Evening Worship, 7:30 p.m. Prayer Meeting and Bible Study Wednesday at 7:30 p.m.

Sweet Springs, Rev. James West, pastor. Discussion groups 9:30 a.m., Bible study 10:15 a.m., Morning worship 11 a.m. Sunday evening service 8 p.m.

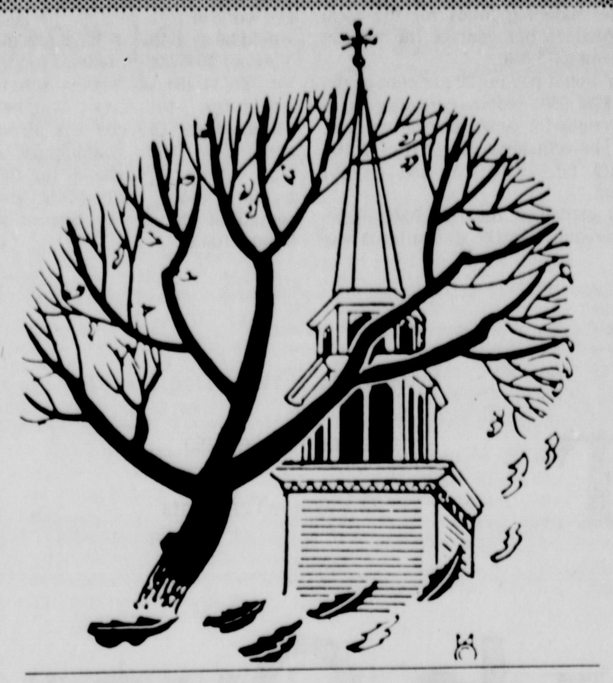
Ward Memorial, Pettis and Osage, Rev. J. E. Erickson, pastor. Res. Ph. 826-5366, Sunday School 9:45 a.m.; Morning Worship 11 a.m.

CHRISTIAN

Berea, Nelson, Mo., Rev. W. A. McVey, pastor. Worship service 11 a.m. Bible school 10 a.m. Bible study 7:30 p.m.

Sweet Springs Christian Church, Thelma J. Case, pastor. Sunday School 9 a.m., Worship Hour 10 a.m.

Parkview, 1405 East 16th. Sunday Bible school, 9:30 a.m.; Sunday services, 10:30 a.m. and 7:30 p.m.; Family hour, 6:30 p.m.; Bible study, 7:30 p.m. Wednesday. Ray Gipson, minister. Off. 826-3624. Res. 827-2082.



First Christian, 200 S. Limit, the Rev. Robert W. Magee, minister. Off. Ph. 826-5300. Home: 826-5310. Church School 9 a.m.; Morning Worship 10:10 a.m.

LaMonte, Roy C. Smith, pastor, Bible School, 9:45 a.m.; Morning worship and communion, 10:45 a.m. Evening worship at 7:30 p.m.

Prairie View, Green Ridge, Gene Smith, minister. Ph. DI7-5456. Morning worship and communion 9:30 a.m. Bible school at 9:45 a.m.

Smithton Sunday School 10:30 a.m. Worship Service every Sunday at 9:30 a.m. Sunday School 10:30 a.m. Wednesday service, 7 p.m. Talmadge Hale, pastor.

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE

First Church of Christ Scientist, 120 E. 6th. Ph. 827-1458. Sunday Church Service 11 a.m.; Sunday School to age 20, 11 a.m. Reading Room open Monday thru Friday 2 to 4 p.m.; Wednesday evening meeting 8 p.m.

CHURCH OF CHRIST

Church of Christ, 14th and Stewart, Jammie Paden, minister. Sunday school, 9:45 a.m.; worship service, 10:30 a.m.; Sunday evening worship, 7 p.m.; Wednesday evening, 7:30 p.m. Phone: 826-1762.

Church of Christ at Evansview, five miles south of Gravois Mills on Highway 5. Worship service at 11 a.m. C. C. Teghtmeyer, pastor.

CHURCH OF GOD

Church of God, Ninth and Madison, Rev. Flay Campbell, pastor. Ph. 826-0204. Sunday School 9:45 a.m.; Worship service 10:30 a.m. Evening Worship 7 p.m.; Mid Week Services Wednesday 7:30 p.m.

CHURCH OF THE NAZARENE

Church of the Nazarene, 2315 S. Moniteau, Rev. Larry T. Abbott, pastor. Ph. 827-1617. Sunday School 9:30 a.m. Morning Worship 10:45 a.m.; Evening Service 7 p.m.; Wednesday 7 p.m.

COMMUNITY CHURCH

Community Church of Houstonia, Sunday School, 10 a.m. The Morning Worship Service 11 a.m. Evening Worship Service, 7:30 p.m. Prayer Meeting and Bible Study, Wednesday at 7:30 p.m. in the Parsonage. Rev. Robert L. Kessler, pastor.

Community Church of Sedalia, Sixth and Osage, Rev. Robert L. Kessler, pastor. (Phone 568-3554) Sunday School, 8:45 a.m. Worship Service, 9:30 a.m. Mid-week church night, Wednesday.

EPISCOPAL

Calvary, Broadway and Ohio. Rev. William E. Lusk, rector. Ph. 826-4873. Sunday services: 8 a.m. Holy Communion, 10 a.m. Family Service (1st and 3rd Sunday, Holy Communion, 2nd and 4th Sundays Morning Prayer).

HEBREW

Temple Beth El, 218 S. Dundee. Ph. 826-3392. Sabbath School Classes 10:30 a.m. Sunday. Regular Service Friday 9 p.m.

JEHOVAH'S WITNESSES

Kingdom Hall, 1201 S. Summit. Minister: Harold Matson, Phone 826-0766. Sunday 9:30 a.m. Public Bible lecture, 10:30 a.m. Watchtower study; Tuesday 6:30 p.m. and 8 p.m. Bible study; Thursday 7:30 p.m. ministry school, 8:30 p.m. service meeting.

LATTER-DAY SAINTS

Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints, Broadway and Park. Priesthood meeting, 9 a.m. Sunday; Sunday school, 10:30 a.m.; Sacrament service, 5 p.m.; Relief Society, 10 a.m. Tuesday; MIA, 7:30 p.m. Wednesday; Primary, 4:30 p.m. Thursday. Bishop Ronald L. Shuler. Off. 826-2203.

Reorganized Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints, Ninth and Montgomery. Church school, 9:45 a.m.; Worship, 11 a.m.; Fellowship service, 7:30 p.m. Wednesday. Elder Walter E. Smith. Res. 827-1532.

LUTHERAN

Christ Lutheran (ALC), West 11th and Thompson Blvd. Sunday school, 9:30 a.m. Worship, 10:30 a.m. Evening Vespers, 7:30. Rev. Fred A. Hueners. Off. 826-4300.

Immanuel, Sweet Springs, Rev. Ross E. Haupt, pastor. Worship service 8 a.m. and 10:30 a.m. Church School 9:15 a.m.

Our Saviour (Missouri Synod), one-half mile west on U. S. Highway 50. Rev. Roger Sonnenberg, pastor. Off. Ph. 827-0226. Res. Ph. 827-0399. Worship Service, 9 a.m.; Sunday School and Bible Classes, 10:15 a.m.

St. Paul's (Missouri Synod), 311 East Broadway at Massachusetts. Rev. Melvin R. Geffert, pastor. Ph. 826-1164. Sunday School and Bible classes 9:15 a.m.; Worship services 8 and 10:30 a.m.

(LCA) Trinity Lutheran, 32nd and Southwest Blvd. Rev. G. R. Hibbard, pastor. Off. Ph. 826-8764. Res. Ph. 826-1632. Sunday School 9 a.m. (Bus Service). Worship 10:30 a.m. (Additional 8 a.m. service during daylight savings time.) Holy Communion first Sunday each month.

METHODISTS

Blackwater Chapel, ten miles north of LaMonte. The Rev. G. Coleman Akin, pastor. Preaching 11 a.m. first and third Sundays; church school 10 a.m. each week.

Black Oak United Methodist Church, six miles East of Lincoln on Highway H. Sunday School 10 a.m. Worship services second Sunday of month 11 a.m.

Clifton City, Robert W. Horton, pastor. Worship service, first and third Sundays each month at 11 a.m. Church school each Sunday at 10 a.m.

Dresden. Rev. G. Coleman Akin, pastor. Services 9:30 a.m. second and fourth Sundays. Church School 10:30 a.m.

Epworth, 1120 E. Broadway, Rev. Eugene Trice, pastor. Res. Ph. 826-7709. Off. Ph. 826-1302. Sunday School 9:30 a.m. Morning Worship 10:30 a.m.

First United Methodist. W. Fourth and S. Osage. Rev. Denis R. Craft, pastor. Res. Ph. 826-7762. Off. Ph. 826-2170. Sunday worship 9 a.m.; Church School 10 a.m.

Florence United Methodist Church, services second and fourth Sunday of the month. Sunday School at 10 a.m. and church services at 11 a.m. Robert W. Horton, pastor.

Free Methodist, 723 E. 13th at Marvin, Rev. Ross Carlton, pastor. Sunday School 9:45 a.m. Morning Worship 10:45 a.m. Young People's Service 7 p.m. Evening Service 7:45 p.m. Wednesday Prayer Service 7 p.m.

Georgetown, J. R. Shipman, pastor. Morning worship 9:30 a.m. first and third Sundays. Sunday School, 10 a.m. first and third Sundays; 9:30 a.m. second and fourth Sundays.

Goodwill Chapel, Route 2, Sedalia. Rev. Jerry Campbell, pastor. Res. Ph. 826-1376. Church School 10 a.m. Morning Worship 11 a.m.

Gravois Mills United Methodist Church, Gravois Mills. Rev. Milton H. Borg, pastor. Sunday School 10 a.m. Worship 11 a.m.

Grissom Chapel, C.M.E., 716 North Moniteau. A. W. Kelly, pastor. Sunday School 9:45 a.m. Worship Service 11 a.m. Evening Service 7:30 p.m. Prayer Service Wednesday 7:30 p.m.

Houstonia. Rev. G. Coleman Akin, pastor. Church school 10 a.m. Preaching 11 a.m. Second and fourth Sundays.

Hughesville Bethel, Rev. Coleman Akin, pastor. Worship 9:30 a.m. (first and third Sundays); Church school 10 a.m.

Lake Creek, Smithton, Route 1, Church school 10 a.m.; Worship service, 9 a.m., Rev. Jerry Moon.

LaMonte, J. R. Shipman, pastor. Church school 10 a.m.; worship service 11 a.m.

Lincoln Methodist Church, Rev. Harold Gold. Lincoln Church School, 10 a.m.; worship, 11 a.m. Sunnyside, worship, 9:30 a.m.; Church School 10:30 a.m., 1st and 3rd Sundays. Hickory Chapel, worship, 9:30 a.m.; Church School 10:30 a.m. 2nd and 4th Sundays.

New Bethel, South Highway 65, Sedalia. Rev. Jerry Campbell, pastor. Res. Ph. 826-1376. Morning Worship 9:30 a.m. Church School 10:30 a.m.

Otterville, Robert W. Horton, pastor. Worship service 9:45 a.m. Church school 10:45 a.m.

Ozark Chapel United Methodist Church, Laurie, Mo. Rev. Milton H. Borg, pastor. Sunday school 9 a.m. Worship 9:45 a.m.

Pleasant Hill, 8 miles south of Sedalia on Highway "C" (Marshall Avenue) and one mile west. Andy Sands, pastor. Sunday school, 9:30 a.m., every Sunday. Sunday services 10:30 a.m. first, third and fifth Sundays.

Quinn Chapel A.M.E., 512 West Johnson, Rev. Glen Carl Nelson, pastor. Phone 826-7257. Church school 9:30 a.m. Worship service 11 a.m. All are cordially invited to attend.

Smithton, Rev. Jerry Moon, pastor. Sunday School 9:30 a.m. Worship service 10:30 a.m. Youth Fellowship 7:30 p.m. Midweek services Wednesday 7:30 p.m.

Sweet Springs. Rev. John Gregory, pastor. Church School 9:30 a.m.; Morning Worship 10:30 a.m.

Taylor Chapel, Pettis and Lamine. Rev. Thomas E. Davis, pastor. Sunday School 9:30 a.m. Morning Worship 11:30 a.m.

Wesley United, Broadway and Carr, Thomas D. Hall, D. D., Minister. Res. Ph. 826-4164. Off. Ph. 826-4502. Sunday School 9:30 a.m.; Worship service 10:30 a.m. UMYF 6:30 p.m.

OPEN BIBLE

Church of the Open Bible, 701 E. 5th, Rev. Phil E. Newell, pastor. Off. Ph. 826-8712. Sunday School 9:45 a.m. Worship 10:45 a.m. Evangelistic Service 7:30 p.m. Wednesday. Bible Study Wednesday 7:30 p.m.

PENTECOSTAL

Calvary Temple (Evangelistic Center) 214 East 2nd. Rev. J. D. Sherman, pastor. Sunday School, 9:45 a.m. Sunday evening service 7:45 p.m.; Thursday evening service, 7:45 p.m.

First United Pentecostal, 17th and Lamine. Rev. D. O. Curtis, pastor. Off. Ph. 826-4556. Sunday School 10 a.m.; Worship Service 11 a.m.; Evening Service 7:30 p.m.; Bible study 7:30 p.m. Tuesday, Young Peoples Service 7:30 p.m. Thursday.

Harvest Time (Independent Assemblies of God; International) 1501 South Ingram, Rev. L. C. Irish, pastor. Sunday School 10 a.m. Morning Worship 11 a.m. Evening service 7:30 p.m. Wednesday evangelistic service 7:30 p.m.

Harvest Time Tabernacle (Pentecostal Church of God), LaMonte, the Rev. William H. Vansell, pastor. Sunday School, 10 a.m., Morning Worship 11 a.m. Evening service, 7:30 p.m. Mid-week service, 7:30 p.m. Wednesday.

Pentecostal Church of God, 100 West 24th, the Rev. L. W. Rowden, pastor. Sunday school 10 a.m. Worship services 11 a.m. Evangelistic services 7 p.m., midweek services 7:30 p.m. Wednesday.

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Four Square Gospel Spiritual Church, 210 E. Ham, Rev. A. C. Hayden, pastor. Res. Ph. 826-9973. Sunday Morning Worship 11 a.m.; Evening 8 p.m. Thursday 8 p.m.

Jones Holy Temple, Church of God in Christ, 318 West Morgan. Sunday school, 10 a.m.; Services, 12 noon and 8 p.m.; YPWW, 7:30 p.m. Sunday. Rev. J. R. Brown. Off. 826-2924.

Pentecostal Church of Jesus Christ, 413 N. Lamine. Pastor, Mattie Crump. Sunday School 10 a.m. Services 12 noon. Evening service 7:30 p.m. Bible Study Tuesday nights 7:30 p.m. Services Friday night.

PRESBYTERIAN

Broadway, Broadway and Kentucky. Rev. Garner S. Odell, D.D., pastor. Ph. 826-1708. Church School 9:30 a.m. Worship Service, 10:45 a.m.

Cumberland, 1608 S. Harrison, Rev. John Steele, pastor. Ph. 826-0171. Sunday School 9:45 a.m. Morning Worship 10:45 a.m.

First Pettis, Hughesville, Mo: Rev. George H. Farr, pastor. Morning Worship 9 a.m. Sunday School 10 a.m.

Green Ridge, Rev. James Williams, pastor. Sunday Services: Knob Noster, 9 a.m. Green Ridge, 11 a.m.

Longwood, Thomas Twieto, pastor. Sunday Worship 10 a.m. Sunday School 11 a.m.; Mrs. Robert Pummell, church school superintendent. Youth meetings, 4 p.m.

Otterville Presbyterian Church. Rev. John Treece, pastor. Sunday School 10 a.m. Worship Service 11 a.m.

Range Line, Rev. George H. Farr, pastor. Morning Worship 9 a.m. Sunday School 10 a.m.

Sweet Springs Presbyterian Church. Rev. George H. Farr, pastor. Church School 9:30 a.m. Worship Service 10:30 a.m.

ROMAN CATHOLIC

Sacred Heart Church, 300 South Moniteau. Rev. Vincent Hoying, C.PP.S. pastor: Rev. Mark Miller, C.PP.S. and Rev. John Wolf, C.PP.S., associates. Residence: 421 West 3rd. Phone 827-2311.

Sunday Mass schedule: 7, 8:30, 10 and 11:30 a.m. Saturdays: 7:30 p.m. Holy days: 7, 8:30, 10, 11:30 a.m. Day before holy day: 7:30 p.m. Week days: 6:30 and 8 a.m. First Friday: 6:30, 8 a.m. and 7:30 p.m.

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St. Anne's Catholic Church, Warsaw. Rev. A. J. Brunswick, pastor. Masses 7 a.m. and 9 a.m.

St. John's, Bahner, Rev. Fr. Donald Green, pastor. Holy mass is 10 a.m. each Sunday.

St. Patrick's, Fourth and Washington. Rev. Fr. Charles A. Pfeiffer, pastor. 415 East Fourth. Phone 826-2062. Sunday masses 8, 10 and 11:15 a.m. Monday through Thursday, 7:15 a.m., Friday, 7 p.m., Saturday, 8 a.m., 7 p.m. Holy day, 6 a.m. and 12:10 and 7 p.m. Confession, Saturday at 3:30, 4:30, 5:30 and 6:30 p.m. until all are heard. Novena for Perpetual Help, Tuesday, 7 p.m.

Religious instruction for students attending public school grades 11 and 12, 8 p.m. Monday, grades 1-10, 6:30 p.m. Wed. Classes in school building.

St. Patrick's, Spring Fork, Rev. Fr. Donald Green, pastor. Mass is each Saturday evening at 7 p.m.

St. Peter and Paul Catholic Church, Cole Camp, Rev. Fr. Donald Green, pastor. Mass is 8:30 a.m. each Sunday.

UNITED CHURCH OF CHRIST

(Evangelical and Reformed), Fourth and Vermont. Sunday Church school, 9:30 a.m.; Worship, 10:35 a.m. Rev. Marvin G. Albright. Off. 826-3553.

OTHER AREA CHURCHES

Shrine of Jesus Home Chapel, 208 West 17th, (non-sectarian). Rev. Doyle Ross Mabry, pastor. Ph. 826-6362. Sunday Morning Candlelight Service 9:30 a.m. Sunday School 10:30 a.m. Wednesday Vespers 7 p.m. Holy Bible Study, Friday, 7:30 p.m.

THE SALVATION ARMY

The Salvation Army, 120 E. 5th. Maj. Marjorie Weber, commanding officer. Off. Ph. 826-1525. Sunday school 10 a.m., holiness meeting 11 a.m., young people's legion 6 p.m., prayer meeting 6:45 p.m., open air meeting 7 p.m., and salvation meeting 7:30; Monday 4 p.m.: Girl Guards; Tuesday meetings: golden agers 10 a.m., sunbeams 4 p.m.; prayer meeting 8 p.m.; Home league 1 p.m. Thursday; Junior legion 4 p.m. Friday; Cub Scouts 10 a.m. Saturday.

SUNDAY CHURCH SCHOOL FOR RETARDED

Interdenominational Church School for the Retarded. Sunday 9 a.m. to 10:15 a.m. Education Building of Broadway Presbyterian Church, 9th and Kentucky. Sponsored by Sedalia-Pettis County Ministers Association and Church Women United.

INDEPENDENT

Maplewood Church, 3 miles East on Highway 50. Sunday School 9:45 a.m. Church Worship 10:45 a.m. Prayer Meeting and Bible Study Wednesday, 7:30 p.m. Young Teens meet at 8:15 p.m. Evening service, every Sunday, 7 p.m. Rev. H. James Kane, pastor.

First Berea Church of Sedalia (Charismatic) 120 South Park. Sunday School, 9:30 a.m. Morning Worship, 10:30 a.m. Saturday prayer fellowship, 7 p.m. at 1941 East Sixth. Wayne Rhoads, pastor. Ph. 826-1882.

Grace and Glory Undenominational. Jim Cramer, 423 E. 13th, Ph. 827-1385. Raymond Brown, 310 West Morgan, Ph. 827-2695. Bible study and worship, 10 a.m. and 7:30 p.m. Sunday. Wednesday 7:30 p.m.

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Concert on Sunday

The McClellan-Akers Singers of Greater Kansas City will appear in concert at 4 p.m. Sunday, Dec. 19, in the Hubbard School auditorium, North Osage and Henry. The concert is being sponsored by the Stewart Board of the Quinn Chapel A. M. E. Church, of which Mrs. Myrtle A. Griggs, 421 West Pettis, is chairman. Admission to the concert is by donations, information on which can be obtained from Mrs. Griggs, 826-5434 or the church, 827-2999. The group has appeared on television and has produced record albums.

From Grief To Solace —Journey Of A Soul

EDITOR'S NOTE: Christmas is a time of joy, but it comes in the midst of realities that also include suffering, just as it did with Jesus, whose life from the first confronted hardship, exile, danger, eventually death and triumph over it. The following story involves the writer's family, which also faced distress but found an answer to it in the light of the life that came at Christmas.

By GORDON HANSON
Associated Press Writer

Pain was Billy's ever-present companion.

It delayed his falling asleep at night. It was with him through the long dark hours, and it was his first wakening awareness every morning.

For the last two of Billy's 11 young years, the pain had shadowed him. He grew thinner. His cheeks were drawn and his eyes haunted.

Billy's pain was the terrible aftermath of a tobogganing accident. He had been flipped from the rear of one toboggan, and as he was sitting in the snow another toboggan came from behind and struck him in the back. A tumor developed on his spine, and though his parents were unaware, it was turning cancerous.

Desperately Billy's parents sought a cure. Billy was their only child. There could be no more.

They took the boy from doctor to doctor, hoping one would say "I think I can help him." But never was there any encouragement.

The search didn't end until the day a wizened, aging doctor in a small town far from Billy's home examined the boy.

"Billy will soon be free of pain," he said. "Soon he'll know it no longer.

Billy's mother knew that soon Billy would die.

But his father refused that interpretation. In his grief he accepted only that Billy would live. He needed that belief — that faith — to keep going. He couldn't let the boy down. The lad needed his strength, and he needed his son's.

The week before Christmas, Billy's fever rose. His pain worsened and only constant medication brought token relief.

The father raged in his anguish. He ranted at the futility of it all. . . .the cruelty of God and the pointlessness of taking a life so young. Everything was a lie.

He knew no solace.

Then came Christmas Eve. The father was awakened by the sounds of Billy tossing fitfully in his bed.

Walking into the darkened living room, the father looked at the presents under the tree.

There were so many unopened gifts there for Billy. They represented the plans so carefully made for the boy.

The father slumped into a chair. He put his hands to his face and he wept.

Then, when grief could no longer come, he sat still for long minutes. The clock on the mantle ticked silently. He searched into himself, painfully and with determination.

And he remembered.

Slowly, awkwardly, he got down on his knees. Clasping his hands until the knuckles whitened, he raised his head.

"God," he said in an anguished whisper, "something has happened. I ask that you hear me out.

"As I sat here, I remembered what a personal success I've been, and how you've responded when I asked you to give me a hand.

"But I know now that these were selfish prayers, for my own personal gain. And when I asked you to save Billy, that was personal, too.

"I couldn't stand to lose him. I had such great plans for him and I wanted some day for him to carry on for me.

"You know what I remember now? I remember Your Son and Your great love when You gave Him to the world. What sadness You must have known when He died. And so God, if you would do this great thing for all of us, then I must be comforted by Your sacrifice.

"It's long past the time, oh God, when I must put my trust in You. So I pray that You will welcome little Billy when he comes. I know he'll be in good hands. I know that it is thy will be done."

The father got to his feet and went into Billy's bedroom. It was time for a pill.

The boy lay still. It almost seemed he wasn't breathing. On his cheek was a dried tear brought by the pain of only minutes before.

Tenderly the father took Billy's limp hand. He looked upon the boy he loved. Suddenly the little hand tightened. Billy opened his eyes.

"Dad," he said simply, "I won't be needing that pill tonight."

Desperately, the father closed his eyes. Then he took a deep breath and asked the question he knew he must.

"Why not, Billy?"

"I've been dreaming, Dad. I've been dreaming about Jesus. He seemed very close. It might sound funny, but it's almost like He's here in the room with us right now."

Billy's fingers loosened in his father's grasp. The breath of life so silent it could barely be heard escaped his lips in a sigh. And his eyes closed.

The father bent over little Billy, and he took the tiny hands and folded them.

Straightening, he quietly spoke his final words to his son.

"That wasn't a dream, Billy. And what you said about it probably sounding silly — it didn't.

"He's here and He's watching over you. . .and me. He's watching over both of us.

"Godby, son."

PAC Will Give Away Dolls Here

As a result of work done by several Sedalia church members, low-income families in the area can now avail themselves of a free doll distribution during the pre-Christmas season.

Those interested in obtaining dolls for their children are asked to call 826-8906 and ask for an appointment with a member of the Poverty Action Corps (PAC).

The Rev. Marvin Albright, pastor of United Church of Christ and a PAC member, told The Democrat-Capital that the dolls are best suited for children below the age of 10.

"The collection of dolls from various church members and the setting up of a distribution center grew out of a workshop last November. The workshop was concerned with poverty and several churches in the area participated," Mr. Albright said.

Nearly 20 young persons from the Ecumenical Youth Fellowship were involved in collecting the dolls, he said.

PAC is also involved in collecting and distributing used furniture, he added.

Pettis Countians who took an active part in PAC projects were from the following churches, accordirg to Mr. Albright: Sacred Heart Church First Christian Church, Epworth United Methodist Church, United Church of Christ, Calvary Episcopal Church and Broadway Presbyterian Church.

Persons who are not affiliated with any church also assisted in PAC projects, he pointed out.

Church News

The Sunday morning message of the Rev. Medford E. Speaker, pastor of East Sedalia Baptist Church, is entitled "Unto Us a Child Is Born."

Sunday night the adult choir will present the cantata entitled, "Carol of Christmas."

Sunday morning, members of the Community Church of Sedalia will hear their pastor, the Rev. Robert L. Kessler, preach on the subject, "The Name of Jesus." Matthew 1:21 will be the text.

The Rev. John Steele, pastor of the Cumberland Presbyterian Church, will bring a Christmas message in the Sunday morning worship service.

At 7 p.m. Sunday, Mrs. John Steele will present the annual Christmas program.

"The Last Words to the Lost" will be the Sunday morning sermon topic at the Stewart Avenue Church of Christ. Minister Jammie Paden will preach the sermon.

Sunday evening, he will bring a message on "The Risen Life."

"Carriers of the Good News" will be the title of the sermon the Rev. Ross E. Haupt will preach Sunday morning at the Immanuel Lutheran Church, Sweet Springs.

The holy communion will be celebrated in the 10:30 a.m. service.

For the Christmas worship at Broadway Presbyterian Church Sunday morning, the Rev. Garner S. Odell will preach on "No Vacancies."

The annual candlelight Christmas Vespers will be held at 4:30 p.m. Sunday in the sanctuary, followed by a reception in the fellowship hall.

The Christmas Eve celebration of Holy Communion will be at 7:30 p.m. Friday.

In the Christmas service of Worship Sunday morning at the Epworth United Methodist Church the pastor, the Rev. Eugene Trice, will have as his sermon theme "The Angels' Son — Mockery or Challenge?"

The Sunday school will present the pageant, "The Wonder of Christmas," at a special program at 7 p.m. Sunday.

"Six Christmas Questions Answered" is the title of the sermon the Rev. James Kane will deliver at Maplewood Church Sunday morning.

The annual Sunday school program will be presented in the evening service.

The Rev. George T. Miller, pastor of the First Baptist Church, will speak Sunday morning on the subject, "If They Had Only Known." KSIS Radio will broadcast the service.

Message, Symbols Of Christmas Never Change

By REV. DAVID POLING

All across this country — and almost all across this planet — the signs of Christmas appear — a star, a stable, the shepherds and the wise men. The pageant of Christmas finds a new cast each year and the drama is retold in school, cathedral and, yes, the shopping plaza! The birth of Jesus is the biggest happening ever to hit this worn and frightened world. Men may argue doctrine, dispute theological notions, debate the fine points of belief but always they settle down around Christmas and praise God for the amazing presence of His Son.

In his new book, "The First Christmas," Paul L. Maier brings out so clearly the contrast and unity of the appearance of the Christ child. For two very uncommon groups were the first to salute his birth — sehpherds and wise men. Total opposites. The shepherds were the hard-hats, the night-shift working men of Israel. The Wise Men were the educated, wealthy, long-hairs(?) of University Square. Yet both were sure that something powerful, unique and cosmic

And the celebrations of Christmas are everywhere. In had happened over in the stable in Bethlehem. The shepherds swore they heard voices, a heavenly choir announcing the Nativity. They acted promptly on the news, for they "went with haste."

And Dr. Maier correctly observes: "Perhaps it is fortunate that they were common laymen, for had they been scholars or theologians, they would likely first have held a debate on the hillside instead of rushing into Bethlehem after the glad announcement, the conservatives insisting they would never leave the sheep, and the liberals labeling the angelic appearance a mere hallucination."

The Wise Men were more deliberate, men of means and stature. Their long journey, following a star, attracted a crowd, including the crafty Herod. Yet they endured the rigors of the road and the hang-ups of Herod to worship the Savior in surroundings that were neither palatial nor scholarly. Great events stir people, change lives and demand retelling.

the creche on your church lawn. The choir in a neighboring town doing Handel's "Messiah." The young people putting a piano on the back of a truck and surprising the folks at the county home with a joyous evening of carols.

And the signs of Christmas, the symbols never change. A star, a stable. Tonight you could turn south off Highway 66 and plunge 18 miles into the black night toward Estancia. Lights vanish. Fences fade into the cold desert and the New Mexico landscape is bleak and unyielding.

Then in the distance a single building looms up, a grain elevator next to the railroad. It must be the tallest structure in the county. Sheet metal surrounding some girders. No name, no people around, but high up on the tower section is a Star. And the Star tells you that Christmas means something to this place, this business, this community. The world needs a Star, the awareness of a Savior and it is the joy of Christmas to discover again the power and attraction of old signs that stay new.

(Newspaper Enterprise Assn.)

Theologian Justifies Christmas Buying

NEW HAVEN, Conn. (AP) — Are you worried that all the buying and lavish gift-giving are taking the real meaning out of Christmas? Then don't be, advises Timothy Lull, a young theologian teaching at Yale.

Actually, he says, immoderate giving is one of the things Christmas is all about. "Part of the meaning is that we always do too much." In fact, that's how it was when Christmas first happened, he notes.

"Everyone who really understands what's happening overdoes it—angels sing all night long, shepherds run away from their sheep, wise men leave their studies, animals keep silence, God loves men beyond what they deserve. And we give things to each other."

"This is our way of joining in the madness of giving and loving beyond the range of what common sense can ever understand," he writes in "The Lutheran," a weekly published by the Lutheran Church in America.

Lull, 28, has taught a semester of theology at the Yale Divinity School, is working on his doctoral dissertation, and anticipates a life of teaching theology and being a parish pastor.

"It's not that I'm delighted with the commercialism of Christmas," he said in a conversation at his home. "But I don't see why you should pick on Christmas particularly. Life is so commercialized now anyway.

"The message is one of joy, of happiness, of mankind getting more than it expected. A far greater danger than doing too much is making the observance too difficult to understand."

He says he's a supporter of trends within the church that make it respond to social issues like peace and justice, but he doesn't want that to produce so much integrity that people lose the Christmas joy of giving.

"There are so many things in society that are bad and need reforming," he says. "You get in a frame of mind where you think maybe everything needs reforming. But there are a few things that are all right as they are and it occurs to me that maybe Christmas may be one of them."

Spainhower Co-authors Sermons Book

A sermon titled, "How to Lose Your Religion" by the Rev. James I. Spainhower, Marshall, is featured in the 47th annual edition of "The Ministers Manual," published by Harper & Row. Mr. Spainhower who is a former state representative from the 117th district, is a Democratic candidate for State treaturer.

The 1972 volume of "The Ministers Manual," edited by the Rev. Charles L. Walis of Keuka College, Keuka Park, N. Y., contains worship and sermonic resource materials for the entire year and for such occasions and subjects as the holy communion, Lent, youth, evangelism and missions.

Christmas Programs Set

FIRST METHODIST — Students of Missouri Valley College Reader's Theatre, Marshall, will present "A Time of Reflection" at the First United Methodist Church in the 9 a.m. Sunday worship service. The choral reading is based on John Donne's essay, "For Whom the Bell Tolls," which expounds peace, brotherly love, hope and joy.

The Chancel Choir will sing "God Rest Ye Merry Gentlemen" arranged by Iderstine. Following the service, a family Christmas celebration will be held in the church dining room.

FIRST BAPTIST — The Sanctuary Choir of the First Baptist Church will present a cantata, "Glory to God," at 7:10 p.m. Sunday. Raymond G. Hall, minister of music and education, will direct the choir.

The cantata was written by J. T. Adams, originator on the Men of Texas Choir.

EMMET AVENUE — Emmet Avenue Baptist Church will hold a Christmas Eve service at 7:30 p.m.

The Rev. Jack Rawley, pastor, will bring a message on "The Birth of Christ."

Special music will be furnished.

A fellowship hour will be held following the service.

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DEATH NOTICES

Mrs. Marie Denny

Mrs. Marie Denny, 62, 1020 West Third, died at 4 a.m. Friday at Bothwell Hospital.

She was born Sept. 9, 1909, in Sedalia, daughter of the late Hunter T. Small and Mrs. Ola Cox Small. She was married to Raphael V. Denny on Aug. 3, 1937 and he preceded her in death Dec. 18, 1970.

Surviving are her mother, Mrs. Ola Small, Sedalia; one sister, Mrs. Blanche E. Reid, 1819 West Third; two brothers, Harry W. Small, 1621 South Ohio; John W. Small, San Pablo, Calif.; two nieces and two nephews.

Funeral services will be held at 1:30 p.m. Saturday at the McLaughlin Funeral Home with the Rev. Richard Leach officiating.

Mrs. Rosalie DeLozier will provide organ music.

Pallbearers will be Raymond Wilder, Claude Boul, Richard Vansell, Paul Shoemaker, James Simon and William Atkinson.

Burial will be in Calvary Cemetery.

The family will receive friends from 7 to 8:30 p.m. Friday at the funeral home.

Milton P. Shores

VERSAILLES — Milton P. Shores, 78, Barnett, died Wednesday at Memorial Community Hospital at Jefferson City.

He was born in Kansas City, Kan., Oct. 4, 1893, son of the late John W. and Adelia Ladd Shores. On Feb. 4, 1945, he married Ester B. Cole, who survives of the home.

Mr. Shores was a member of the Barnett Masonic Lodge 591; Eastern Star; Scottish Rite and the United Methodist Church of Versailles.

Also surviving are two sons, Melton P. Shores, Jr., Eldon; Robert L. Shores, Barnett; one granddaughter and three great-grandchildren.

Masonic services will be at 7 p.m. Saturday at the Kidwell Funeral Home, Versailles.

Funeral services will be held at 1:30 p.m. Sunday at the church with the Rev. Frank Ebright officiating.

Burial will be in the Versailles Cemetery.

Mrs. Allie Mae Lawson

TIPTON — Funeral services for Mrs. Allie Mae Lawson, 94, who died Thursday at the Cooper County Hospital, Boonville, will be held at 2 p.m. Sunday at the Christian Church, Tipton. The Rev. George Igo will officiate.

Pallbearers will be grandsons.

Burial will be in the Moreau Cemetery.

The family will receive friends at the Conn Funeral Home Friday evening.

Mrs. Rose M. Homan

Funeral services for Mrs. Rose M. Homan, 93, 708 East 16th, who died at Bothwell Hospital Wednesday evening, will be held at the Presbyterian Church in Otterville at 1 p.m. Saturday. The Rev. Farrie Cole Jr., will officiate, assisted by the Rev. John Treece, pastor of the Otterville Presbyterian Church.

Pallbearers will be Wherley Cline, Jesse Parsons, Wade Burford, Charles McNealy, Arthur J. Morgan and Orville Rothgeb.

Burial will be in the IOOF Cemetery at Otterville.

The body is at the Ewing Funeral Home where the family will receive friends from 7 to 8:30 p.m. Friday. The body will lie in state at the Presbyterian Church in Otterville from noon to 1 p.m. Saturday.

L. M. (Roy) Lewis

Funeral services for L. M. (Roy) Lewis, 80, a former Sedalian who died at Phoenix, Ariz., Tuesday afternoon, were held at the Ewing Funeral Home at 1:30 p.m. Friday. The Rev. Charles Hendrickson, pastor of the Calvary Baptist Church, officiated.

John Vandekamp, soloist, was accompanied by Mrs. Keith Maynard at the organ.

Burial was in the Crown Hill Cemetery.

Mrs. Lillian Elsie Dutton

Funeral services for Mrs. Lillian Elsie Dutton, 75, 1301 East Sixth, who died Tuesday evening at the Bothwell Hospital, were held at 1:30 p.m. Friday at the Heckart-Gillespie Funeral Home with the Rev. Gene Parrott officiating.

Burial was in Memorial Park Cemetery.

Alline V. Smith

CROSS TIMBERS — Funeral services for Mrs. Alline V. Smith, 33, who died Wednesday evening at the St. Johns Hospital, Springfield, will be held at 2 p.m. Saturday at the Cross Timbers Methodist Church.

Burial will be in the Cross Timbers Cemetery.

The family will receive friends Friday evening at the Reser Funeral Home, Warsaw.

Mrs. Freda Baker

LINCOLN — Funeral services for Mrs. Freda Baker, 52, Lincoln, who died Wednesday at the University of Missouri Medical Center, Columbia, were held at 2 p.m. Friday at the Fred Davis and Son Funeral Home, Lincoln, with the Rev. Eugene Rodewald officiating.

Burial was in the Lincoln Cemetery.

Charley W. Miller

CROSS TIMBERS — Funeral services for Charley W. Miller, 88, who died Tuesday at Research Hospital in Kansas City, were held at 2:30 p.m. Friday at the Cross Timbers Methodist Church.

Burial was in the Hermitage Cemetery.

Frank Brennon

CROSS TIMBERS — Funeral services for Frank Brennon, 75, who died at the Wetzel Hospital, Clinton, early Wednesday morning, were held at 11 a.m. Friday at the Cross Timbers Methodist Church.

Burial was in the Cross Timbers Cemetery.

Mrs. Josephine G. Steele

KANSAS CITY — Funeral services for Mrs. Josephine G. Steele, 63, who died Thursday morning at St. Joseph's Hospital here, will be held at 11:30 a.m. Saturday at the Blackman Funeral Home, Kansas City.

Graveside services will be held at 2:30 p.m. at the Dresden Cemetery, Dresden.

Mrs. Gladys Jenkins

Funeral services for Mrs. Gladys Jenkins, Lee's Summit, who died Tuesday at Jackson County, were held at 1:30 p.m. Friday at the Heckart-Gillespie Funeral Home with the Rev. Gene Parrott officiating.

Burial was in Memorial Park Cemetery.

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Monetary Conference Is Opened

WASHINGTON (AP) — Secretary of the Treasury John B. Connally opened the crucial conference of the Group of Ten richest nations seeking solution of the world's monetary problems after telling newsmen: "I am very hopeful we can wind it up here."

Connally, chairman of the assembled ministers, spoke briefly with reporters before the start of the two-day conference seeking realignment of the non-Communist currencies.

Connally did not predict a favorable outcome despite his expressed hope of a weekend solution. Whether there will be a settlement "is not for me to say," he told questioners.

Although hopes for an agreement have been bolstered by President Nixon's announced readiness to devalue the dollar in exchange for upward revaluation of other currencies, Connally told newsmen he expects "a lot of very tough negotiations" this weekend.

As the so-called "Group of Ten" prepared for a two-day meeting at Washington's oldest Smithsonian Institution building, optimism abounded that an interim system of currency-exchange rates could be worked out by the weekend.

If so, it would end the longstanding international monetary crisis in which world currencies have floated against each other without fixed rates of exchange.

President Nixon broke the stalemate earlier in the week when he announced, after a meeting with French President Georges Pompidou in the Azores, that the United States would be willing to devalue the dollar as part of general currency realignment.

Mikio Mizuta, the Japanese finance minister, told newsmen he sees a 50-50 chance for agreement on new currency values.

U.S. Treasury officials spoke optimistically of hopes for a settlement, as Secretary John B. Connally met privately on the eve of the talks with the finance ministers of Japan, Germany and the United Kingdom.

The new currency system would include a dollar devaluation ranging from 5 to 8 per cent and revaluations of the Japanese yen and the West German mark and other currencies. The French franc would remain unchanged.



Assisting Santa

Sammie Anderson, Route 3, a member of Senior Girl Scout Troop 375, adjusts an ornament on the Sedalia Police Department's Christmas tree. She and other members of the Girl Scout troop sacked 1,700 pounds of candy this week in preparation for the annual childrens Christmas party to be held from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. Saturday at the police station. The girls decorated the Christmas tree Thursday afternoon.

(Democrat-Capital Photo)

Armed Robbery Charges Face Kansas City Trio

The three men apprehended in Sedalia Wednesday afternoon by Sedalia police for investigation of passing stolen money orders are in jail in Columbia in lieu of bonds.

The three men appeared in Boone County Magistrate Court Friday morning for arraignment, but since they were not represented by legal counsel, a date for their preliminary hearing was not set. Another arraignment is set for Dec. 22.

The men were Melvin Lee Crawford, 20, Michael Ladd, 22, and Alec Wade Stanley, 24, all of Kansas City. A juvenile girl was picked up in Sedalia with the three men, and a spokesman for the Pettis County Sheriff's Department said she has been released to her parents.

The men were turned over to Columbia officials Thursday afternoon. Boone County authorities have filed a charge of armed robbery of Shulte's IGA Foodliner, Columbia, on Nov. 28, against all three, and an additional charge of armed robbery against Ladd in connection with a holdup at the Showcase Mart No. 2 in Columbia on Nov. 28.

Bond for Stanley and Crawford was set at $7,500 each, and for Ladd, $7,500 on each charge for a total of $15,000.

The money orders passed in Sedalia Wednesday were traced back to the robbery in Columbia. Sedalia Police Chief William Miller determined through a call to the home office of Travelers Express, Minneapolis, Minn., that the money orders were part of a block of 200 orders taken in the Columbia robbery. Each could have been made out for up to $150.

One of the bogus money orders was accepted Wednesday at Priddy's Shoe Store while two others were rejected at Penney's and Goodheart's.

Machinery for the arrests was set up by the police department through the Fraud Alert system in Sedalia, whereby participating merchants notify each other, along with law enforcement officials.

This is the second time in a month bogus money orders have been introduced in Sedalia. In late November, several bogus money orders were passed here. Police and the Sheriff's Department traced these money orders, along with the check protector, to a robbery in Springfield.

Tonight On TV

6:00 3-5-6-8-9-13 News
4 High Chaparral
11 Dick Van Dyke
6:30 3 Big Valley
5 Andy Griffith
6-13 Hee Haw
8 NFL Football
9 Hogan's Heroes
10(41) Virginian
11 Dragnet
7:00 5 Chicago Teddybears
4-8 The D.A.
9 The Night The Animals Talked
11 Wagon Train
7:30 3-4-8 Movie
5-6-13 O'Hara — U.S. Treasury
9 Partridge Family
8:00 10(41) Movie
9 Love Room 222
11 David Frost
8:30 5-6-13 Movie
9 Odd Couple
9:00 3 The D.A.
9 Love American Style
11 Perry Mason
9:30 4 Partners
8 Dragnet
10(41) NFL Game of the Week
10:00 3-4-5-6-8-9-13 News
10(41) Football Highlights
11 Peyton Place
10:30 3-4-8 Johnny Carson
5-9-11 Movie
6-13 Merv Griffin
10(41) Dick Cavett
12:00 3 Movie
5-9-11 Movie
6-13 Merv Griffin
10(41) Dick Cavett
12:00 3 Movie
4-5-6-8-13 News
12:05 4 Dr. Kildare
8 Movie
12:36 5 News

Former Sedalian Is Killed

A Springfield man killed Wednesday when high winds demolished his house trailer was a former Sedalian.

John Rucker, 63, a self-employed sign painter, lived in Sedalia until 1953.

He was born Sept. 7, 1906, in Sedalia, son of Joseph and Mary Rucker. He married the former Miss Kathryn Emily Brown in 1933. She preceded him in death in 1968. He remarried in 1969.

His widow, Mrs. Mary Rucker, was taken to Cox Memorial Hospital, Springfield, after the tornado. She required 70 stitches in her left leg and had cuts on her right foot, chin and right thigh. She remains in serious condition at the hospital.

Mr. Rucker is survived by one daughter, Mrs. Patricia Barnes, Ash Grove; one son, Richard C. Rucker, Troy; and one sister, Mrs. Madge Dickinson, Redding, Calif.

Funeral services will be held at 2 p.m. Friday at the Herman Loymeier Funeral Home in Springfield with the Rev. Wilbur Wills officiating.

Burial will be in St. Mary's Cemetery in Springfield.

Court Hears Conservation Infractions

Four cases involving infractions of the Missouri conservation code were disposed of in Magistrate Court Thursday morning.

Three men, charged separately with hunting and taking rabbit from a motor vehicle at night, did not appear and their $35.50 bonds were ordered forfeited.

They were Ralph I. Shull, Route 1, Smithton; Charles W. Shull, Route 5 Sedalia; and John E. Shull, Route 1, Smithton. The alleged offenses were committed near Beaman Dec. 1.

Edgar W. Holke, High Ridge, charged with hunting upland game with an unplugged, semi-automatic shotgun, did not appear and his $15.50 bond was ordered forfeited. This alleged offense occurred Dec. 11 about five miles south of Green Ridge.

All complaints were filed on request of Chester Vermaas, local conservation agent

Address in Error

The car which received $100 damages in a fire on the Safeway parking lot Wednesday afternoon is owned by Mrs. John Fischer, 3016 East 12th, not by Mrs. John Fisher, 2223 East Broadway, as reported previously.

DAILY RECORD

BOTHWELL HOSPITAL

Dismissals

Mrs. H. Ronald Knaus and daughter, LaMonte; Mrs. Fred J. Riddell, 1810 East Fifth; Baby Tammi Lynn Hack, Windsor; Mrs. Robert C. Enoch, 136 Rainbow Dr.; Mrs. Don A. Weaver, Camdenton; Mrs. Ola A. Vanderpool, 618 West 16th; Mrs. Margaret Hanrahan, 1613 South Grand; Master Daniel R. Smith, Windsor; Miss Diane Sullivan, Route 2; Mrs. George Monteer, 414 North Engineer; Miss Joyce A. Kinkead, Warsaw; Master Johnny A. Lyles, 720 West Cooper; Mrs. James R. Clary, Sr., Sunrise Beach.

Births

Daughter, to Mr. and Mrs. Carroll Howard, 1823 South Grand, at 5:21 a.m. Thursday at Bothwell Hospital. Weight, 8 pounds, 9 ounces.

Daughter, to Mr. and Mrs. Robert Zimmerschied, 1601 Honeysuckle, at 10:04 p.m. Thursday at Bothwell Hospital. Weight, 9 pounds, 11 ounces.

Daughter, to Mr. and Mrs. Randal Ritchey, Denver, Colo., at 1 p.m. Thursday at the St. Lukes Hospital, Denver, Colo. Weight, 6 pounds, 2 ounces. Named, Rebecca Jane.

The maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Kueck, 1508 South Beacon.

Area Hospitals

Eugene Crawford and William Linder, both of Sweet Springs, admitted to Sweet Springs Community Hospital.

Walter Schlue and Glenn Widder, both of Sweet Springs, dismissed from Sweet Springs Community Hospital.

Divorces

Harold Harcum was granted a divorce from Claudia Harcum in Circuit Court Friday. Her maiden name of Claudia K. Hageman was restored.

Larry Carp Announces Candidacy

JEFFERSON CITY, Mo. (AP) — Larry Carp of Clayton, Mo., filed today for the nomination in the crowded Democratic race for state treasurer.

Five other Democrats are in the race so far and State Treasurer William E. Robinson has not indicated whether he will file for re-election.

Harry Wiggins of Kansas City filed for the Democratic nomination last Sept. 24 but withdrew two months later.

Carp is a St. Louis County attorney and was an unsuccessful candidate for the Democrat congressional nomination in the 2nd District in 1960. He is a member of the Missouri Commission on Human Rights, is on the Democratic State Committee and has worked in Democratic presidential and senatorial campaigns.

In a statement he issued when he filed, Carp said, "A very serious problem exists in Missouri concerning the office of state treasurer.

"When the typical Missourian thinks of the office of state treasurer, whether occupied by a Republican or Democrat, there arises in his mind the image of government by payoff, placement of state deposits in return for campaign contributions and funds lying in Missouri banks drawing no interest and making no return for the people.

"In a word, the office of state treasurer in Missouri has come to stand for an office which puts politics before the people and private gain before the public welfare."

He said he wanted to change that.

After filing he held a news conference here and planned to fly to Springfield and St. Louis for similar appearances before newsmen.

Other Democrats in the race for treasurer are L. E. Morris of Jefferson City, Donald L. Carpenter of St. Louis, Hunter Phillips of Kansas City, State Rep. E. J. Cantrell, D-Overland, and former Rep. James. I. Spainhower of Jefferson City.

The lone Republican candidate is State Rep. George W. Parker of Columbia.

Elementary School Break-In Is Found

SWEET SPRINGS — About $40 to $60 in cash was stolen from the R-IIV elementary school here between 11 p.m. Thursday and 7 a.m. Friday after thieves entered the building through a door.

It was reported that a glass window pane had been cut out of a door leading into the building. The offices of the principal and superintendent, a teachers work room and the records room at the school were ransacked. Several vending machines were pried open.

The break-in was discovered by Eddie Grimes, custodian at the school, when he arrived for work.

Officers from the Saline County Sheriff's Department and the Highway Patrol are investigating.

Police Court

The following persons were charged with speeding: George Wolf, Route 3, forfeited $11; Edward F. Hardesty, Route 3, forfeited $10; Sylvia L. Shumate, 1 Huntington, forfeited $13; Mildred B. Hurtt, 2803 Southwest Blvd., forfeited $13; Clifford G. Abney, 617 West 32nd, forfeited $10; Oliver G. Thomas, 700 East 18th, forfeited $10; Gary L. Ash, 1726 East Sixth, forfeited $10; Mary E. Esser, 501 Dal-Whi-Mo, forfeited $10; Ricky L. Craig, 128 South Park, fined $10.

Richard L. Smith, 240 East Boonville, disorderly conduct, dismissed.

The following persons were charged with careless and imprudent driving: William J. Schrock, Route 2, fined $10; Larry G. Howard, Route 3, forfeited $25.

Gary G. Pottorff, Route 1, running a red light, fined $10.

Federal Paycheck Problems

WASHINGTON (AP) — Employes of at least one federal agency face the prospect of paycheck reductions before Christmas because of a congressional snarl over appropriations.

Officials indicated Thursday some 1,300 employes of Action, the new agency combining the Peace Corps, VISTA and smaller volunteer programs, will receive paychecks next Tuesday minus two days' pay. They said the shortage probably will not be made up until after Christmas.

The problem is that stopgap financing of the agency expired Dec. 8 and the House and Senate have been unable so far to agree on continuing legislation. Pay for the two-week period ending Dec. 10 is due Tuesday, but there is no legal authority to pay for the last two days of the period.

The Agency for International Development, which administers foreign aid, and the Office of Economic Development, which administers antipoverty programs, are in a similar bind but have not yet said paychecks will be cut.

While the Defense Department's appropriation has cleared Congress, it has not yet been signed. Pentagon spokesmen said, however, they anticipate no difficulty in meeting the huge Defense payroll.

In other economic developments:

—The American Medical Association criticized a Price Commission requirement that physicians secure advance approval before increasing fees by more than 2.5 per cent. The AMA said such guidelines "appear to single out health care providers for some regulatory controls that are not applied to other providers of services."

—A federal judge in Wilmington, Del., issued a temporary restraining order against a rent increase planned by a Wilmington apartment complex, saying the proposal "in all likelihood" violates Phase 2 guidelines.

—The Pay Board announced it has established certain exceptions to the rule that wages may not rise more than 5.5 per cent a year, but will not announce details of the new ruling until today. The board also planned to announce today details of a ruling covering executive pay and said it has agreed to review at a later date the subject of merit pay.

—Secretary of Housing George Romney said new housing starts in November equalled an annual rate of 2.3 million, indicating it will top the 1.9 million new starts in 1970. Romney said the housing starts are "a powerful indication of the strength of our nation's economy." In the five years before that, he said, the industry had a high point in 1968 of just over 1.5 million units.

—The Price Commission approved an 8 per cent increase for sheet steel products made by National Steel Corp., a 4.8 boost for Kaiser Steel Corp. tin-mill products and a 2.74 per cent across-the-board increase on all Bethlehem Steel Corp. products.

Conditions Placed On Unification

LONDON (AP) — Prime Minister Edward Heath says his government would accept a united Ireland only if the people of Northern Ireland agreed.

"If, by agreement, the North and South should decide to come together," Heath said in an interview, "not only would the present government raise no objection, but I cannot conceive of any future government which would want to stand in their way.

"All we say is that a united Ireland cannot be brought about by force and that we cannot usurp the right of choice of the people of Northern Ireland."

Heath's statement appeared to rule out any prospect of Irish reunification soon, because Northern Ireland's Protestant majority is militantly opposed to union with the Roman Catholic republic in the south. But talks in search of a political settlement to end the violence in Northern Ireland are expected to begin early in the new year and to involve all parties in the British and Irish parliaments.

Heath also warned the guerrillas of the Irish Republican Army that their campaign of "murder and terror" to unite Ireland was doomed.

"We are determined to defeat you, and you will fail," he declared.



Ann Landers

Excerpts From 'The Newsletter'

Dear Readers: You've been asking for a re-run of this column since 1968. Here it is:

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Dear Ann Landers: Please tell me why normally intelligent people seem to take leave of their senses at Christmas. I refer to those individuals who compose interminable chronicles of the year's activities, have them mimeographed (usually a poor job) and proceed to send the drivel to everyone whose last name they can spell.

Isn't this the height of arrogance? What makes these people think anyone (save a special few) are interested in wading through all that stuff?

For several years we have been receiving family newsletters and I've had it up to here. I guess what really galls me is the way everyone tries to paint such a glowing picture of affluence and success. I have before me a fistful of chatty little Christmas letters from all over the country. I'm going to lift a few sentences from each to illustrate the point. (The names of persons and organizations have been changed for obvious reasons):

"Dear Friends: What a wonderful year we've had! Jim was named vice president of the bank so we celebrated by buying a Mercedes and taking a trip to the Orient. In addition to his Boy Scout work, Jim served as chairman of the United Fund drive. He is still on the hospital board and president of Kiwanis. Just for laughs he played the lead in a little theater production last June and everyone said he was better than the star who did it on Broadway. His first love, however, is still conservation and he continues to work hard as chairman of the Committee to Fight Dutch Elm Disease.

"After completing my term as Junior League president I swore I would take life easy but it seems I am more involved than ever. I accepted the vice presidency of the garden club and am still active in the D.A.R. Our church organist became ill and they asked me to substitute so I accepted. I ran the rummage sale for the Eastern Star again this year and managed to squeeze in a course on flower arranging which was offered by a Japanese exchange student.

"Jim Jr. won his letters in football and basketball. He is on the all-star debate team and placed third in the national oratory contest. We were surprised when we read in the paper that he had won $100 in an essay contest sponsored by the American Legion. He has already been accepted by Harvard. Debbie was elected president of her class at Dana Hall. She is almost as tall as her mother! Our wee Betsy is quite a little horsewoman — won a blue ribbon in the show at Grosse Point." And so it goes—until you could up-chuck.

Next year, Ann Landers, I'm going to send a newsletter to all the people who have been sending ME newsletters. It will read something like this and I hope they get the hint:

Dear Friends: We had a perfectly rotten year. Hal was passed over for promotion again so he got mad and quit. He hasn't lined up a new job yet but he is listed with two agencies and looks in the papers every day.

Hal Jr. was defeated for homeroom monitor. He flunked French and will have to go to summer school. Billy has not had a haircut since August and had to hock his guitar to pay for repairing his Honda which he wrecked. My mother-in-law's annual two-week visit in May turned into two months, and my migraines go so bad I had to go back into therapy.

As I write this, the whole family is down with the flu and I don't feel so good myself. We hope next year is better. It couldn't be worse. Love to all. —MARY

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Intangible Tax Returns Over 1970's

County Treasurer Virgil Houchens announced that Pettis County's intangible tax return, received Tuesday, amounted to $165,643.97 for 1971.

The four per cent tax is levied against earnings from interest or dividends in savings institutions.

Houchens said a list of names of those receiving interest income is forwarded to his office from the savings institutions and then the forms, similar to tax returns, are mailed to taxpayers in the county.

Deadline for the intangible tax each year is April 15.

County taxpayers file their intangible tax forms directly with the State Department of Revenue and the collections are processed in much the same way as the city sales taxes since a two per cent processing fee is charged, with 98 per cent of the tax returning to Pettis County.

The amount actually collected from Pettis County residents was $169,114.57. Of this total, refunds of $90.11 for overpayment were mailed back to some taxpayers and the cost of processing by the State Department of Revenue was $3,380.40.

The 1971 totals are up about 10 per cent over last year's figures. The check received by Houchens last year was slightly over $145,000.

The money will be distributed as follows:

County revenue, $13,801.02; Green Ridge, $1,383.26; Houstonia, $744.37; Hughesville, $44.56; LaMonte, $1,918.34; Sedalia, $43,191.38; Smithton, $884.08.

School Districts: Green Ridge R-8, $2,242.11; Northwest-Hughesville R-5, $1,708.77; LaMonte R-4, $2,424.02; Sedalia 200, $71,725.44; Smithton R-6, $2,161.63; Blackwater R-1, $79.63; Oak Grove, R-12, $164.10; Cole Camp R-1-B, $272.87; Windsor R-1-H, $47.48; Knob Noster 86, $52.02.

Special Road Districts: Green Ridge, $196.23; Houstonia, $125.35; Hughesville, $85.42; Sedalia, $8,481; Rowletta, $2.93.

County Special Road and Bridge: $800.46.

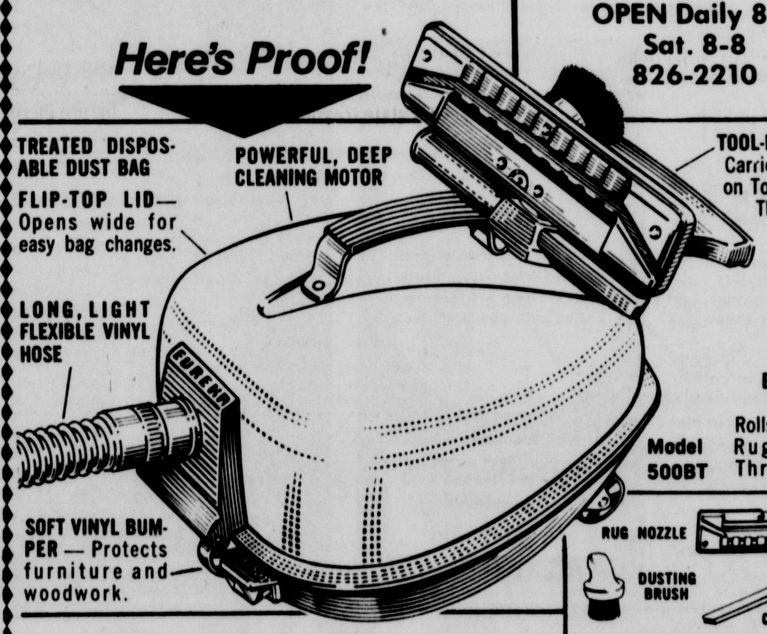
Jail bonds for the Pettis County Jail, $827.99; Johnson-grass, $276; Boonslick Regional Library, $387.04; State Fair Community College, $10,907.99; Nursing Homes: Good Samaritan, $28.43; Lincoln Nursing Home, $79.68.

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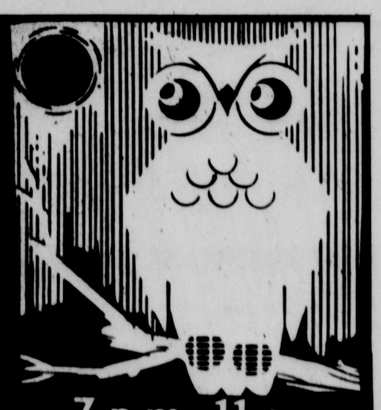
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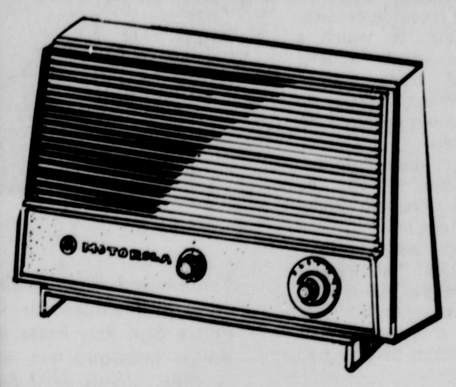
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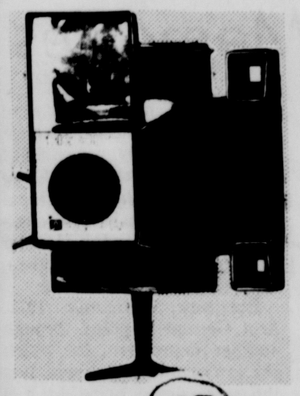
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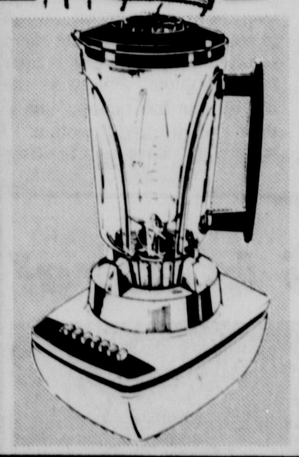
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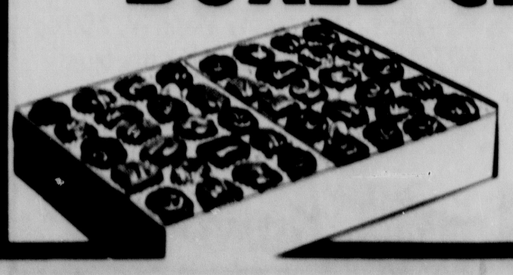

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Bell Telephone Cheating Crackdown Paying Off

By LEW FERGUSON
Associated Press Writer

TOPEKA, Kan. (AP) — Southwestern Bell Telephone company's crackdown on cheating is paying off, the firm's chief sleuth believes.

"We feel we have been able to make some inroads," said James F. T. Garner, 41-year-old former Federal Bureau of Investigation agent who now is Southwestern Bell's security manager for Kansas.

"We have noticed a lessing of the problem, but it continues.

"Since the publicity, we have had individuals come to us, some with their attorneys, prior to our learning of their fraud.

"They have actually expressed a desire to cooperate with us to make full restitution. They realized what they were doing wasn't right. They wanted to square things with us."

Southwestern Bell announced three months ago it was launching the crackdown to try to curb telephone fraud — cheating the company through a variety of schemes and devices to avoid paying long distance toll charges.

James F. Haake, vice president and general manager of Southwestern Bell's Kansas operations, said fraud costs the company hundreds of thousands of dollars annually. He said the firm owed it to its customers to reduce the amount of fraud loss because it impairs service.

Garner reported these results since the crackdown:

—A University of Kansas coed from Junction City has pleaded guilty in Douglas County District Court to charge of theft of services under $50 and is awaiting sentencing. She was accused of using fraudulent billing numbers in making toll calls.

—A male KU student faces preliminary hearing in district court on a similar charge, also involving fraudulent billing numbers.

—Eight airmen at McConnell Air Force Base, Wichita, were caught making fraudulent use of credit cards and cheating pay telephones.

—Nine soldiers at Ft. Riley were caught using fraudulent means of avoiding paying for overseas calls.

—One airman stationed at Forbes Air Force Base, Topeka, was caught making fraudulent use of toll service.

—In Topeka, a restaurant dishwasher was caught making fraudulent use of a telephone credit card, and is believed to have fled the state.

In the case of the servicemen, Garner said, military authorities "are taking steps to advise post personnel that it is a very serious matter, and they can be prosecuted under military law or civilian law depending upon where it takes place."

Garner said one fraudulent practice always seems to show up during a holiday period, and warned citizens against engaging in it this Christmas and New Year's.

The practice is code calling. It involves a person making a prearranged person-to-person call to transmit coded information while the operator is assisting with the call. For example, an individual calls person-to-person asking for himself. The person on the receiving end has been tipped in advance that this call means the caller has arrived safely, is on the way, etc., and turns down the call.

Garner said code-calling has a serious impact on telephone service during holiday periods.

"This ties up operations and lines," he said, "and ties up service so those people trying to contact relatives during this peak period can't do it. Many calls can't be completed as a result."

Garner said Southwestern Bell's desire is not to prosecute those perpetrating telephone fraud, unless it is absolutely necessary.

"At no time have we given the impression that we want to prosecute anyone," he said.

"We just want it to stop and work with the people who are doing it so they will amend their ways.

"It is only after repeated abuse that we have gone to the more stringent legal methods."

Garner said in two recent cases telephone people caught those committing credit card fraud in the act, so quick was the detective work in tracing the use of phony or stolen credit cards.

He credited the alertness of the company's operators with catching much of the fraud perpetrated on the company. He said 99 per cent of the fradulent calls must go through operators, and described them as "experienced, alert, intelligent and quick to observe whether a call should be suspected of being fradulently charged."

He told of a recent instance in Pittsburg, Kan., in which a young woman made a long distance call from a pay telephone. When asked to deposit the money required for the call, she said:

"Ding, ding-ding, dong," trying to imitate verbally the sound made by coins dropping into the telephone box.

"That may sound silly," Garner said, "but it shows you what some people think they can get away with. Our operators are sharp enough to spot most things people try. We're proud of them."



Offered For Beer

Three-month-old Andrew Schaffner coos and smiles for Oklahoma City Police Sgt. Roy Patterson Thursday at police headquarters after the baby's mother, Sharon Schaffner, 36, allegedly offered to exchange the infant for a bottle of beer at a downtown Oklahoma City cafe. She was jailed pending a mental hearing. (UPI)

Polly's Pointers

Nice Way to Pack Christmas Cookies

By POLLY CRAMER

DEAR POLLY — With Christmas gift wrapping time here, I want to tell the other girls that an ironing board makes a great counter top for such wrapping. I find it far easier on the back than bending over a table. — MRS. W. A. S.

DEAR POLLY — I have an attractive and inexpensive way to package homemade candy and cookies that make such welcome holiday gifts. So many Christmas cards come packed in boxes with clear plastic tops so I use them. Cover the lower part of the box with Christmas paper, then fill it with candy or cookies that have been put in small muffin or bonbon papers in different colors. Tie the box with ribbon or just fasten a bow on top. The contents look so pretty showing through the plastic top.

When giving larger amounts of such goodies, use a shortening can that has a clear plastic top. Cover can with pretty paper foil. Fasten with cellophane tape and put a bow, sprig of holly, small Christmas bell or Santa on top. The cookies will stay fresh until eaten.

If you do not have enough of such boxes you may get some from your neighbors or friends who do not bake. If they think there might be a full one coming back I am sure they will be even happier to pass cans and boxes along to you. — MILLEE

Polly's Problem

DEAR POLLY — My piano has a shiny black finish that picks up dust like a magnet and dusting it off is almost impossible. I have tried everything I can think of but still all I do is push the dust around with a cloth. Any suggestions would be appreciated. — CINDY

DEAR POLLY — I hope my Pet Peeve will be heeded by motel and hotel owners. Why do the maids make up beds with both top and bottom sheets tucked under the mattress? One cannot get into bed without pulling the top sheet free, which in turn pulls out the bottom sheet so you either have to remake the bed or suffer all night with a bottom sheet that gathers under your back. Toes are uncomfortable under such a taut sheet and you cannot pull it up around your shoulders without yanking and yanking, which results in the pulled up sheets again. Please leave those top sheets loose to save remaking of the bed and perhaps tearing your sheets. — MRS. J. S.

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Christmas Alone Brings Sad Memories For Elderly

(Many Americans will observe Christmas this year in health, prosperity and security. Others, however, won't be so fortunate. This is a story of one of the others.)

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By TOM TIEDE

NEW YORK — (NEA) — Ann George will not have a Christmas tree this year. Nor will she send cards to friends, or exchange gifts with relatives, or have company for holiday dinner — or, actually, do any of the happy things so much of the nation is doing to celebrate the 1971st birthday of Jesus Christ.

Ann George is in her late 70s.

"How terribly strange," says the song, "to be 70."

She is all alone this season.

Her husband died last May. He was a decent man — not rich or successful, but decent. He was an elevator operator until he got old, and after that he was nothing but old. They buried him too far away, now, for Ann to even visit.

Her family has disappeared. She never had children of her own. She has two nieces and three step-children — yet the nieces "don't care about me much" and the stepkids have, well, scattered so far "I can't even remember the addresses."

Her friends, too, have gone. Dead now, mostly. There is still the woman in Brooklyn and the long-time pal who lives on 14th Street, but "My, when was the last time they came? Months ago. I don't get many callers up here any more."

And so it is Ann George, age 76, will observe Christmas this year by herself. In a dreary and overly hot public housing apartment, 18 floors above West 91st Street. On the edge of Manhattan's scrubby, unpleasant Spanish Harlem.

No tinsel.

No carols.

"Maybe there'll be a Christmas show on the television. I don't know what I'd do without the television. I turn it on at two every day and watch it until I fall asleep. That's about seven or eight. Sometimes I try to stay up to watch Flip Wilson or Dean Martin, but otherwise I fall asleep. I wish I could see the Midnight Mass, but it's way too late. I don't think I've ever had the TV on 'til midnight."

The television occupies one of two places of honor and availability in Ann George's small, $80-a-month flat. The only piece of furniture that takes precedence over it is a mahogany credenza which stands against an entrance wall and is the showplace for the wold woman's memorabilia. Some inexpensive china. A pine scented candle in a glittered holder. Some plates and teacups bearing an inscription which designates them as a gift for 25 years of up-and-down marriage.

And a small, gold-colored, 50-cent trophy.

"My husband won that trophy for bowling or something. I forget exactly what. He was always very proud of it. I never could bring myself to throw it away."

There is a smile on the old woman's face as she remembers the winning of the trophy. The past. It's everything now. Memories. "I'm so old, I got nothing left. I can't do work no more. I use to be a cleaning woman, you know, but now I can't even hold a broom. The only thing I can do right any more is think." About what? "About the past. I had good times in the years I've lived."

Indeed, good times. Home planning, church going, life living. "I was a very fine cook, you know. At least I never had any complaints. I remember the old Christmases when I'd cook up a storm. Everybody came then. Friends, neighbors — everybody. I used to pile the table with food and they'd laugh and eat and . . ."

Even the Depression, which occupied nearly a decade of Ann George's life, wasn't so bad. "You cquldn't get relief unless you were married," she recalls, so she got married only to find she didn't need the relief after all. "I made 25 cents an hours, and my husband about the same. But, my, you could at least live on that then. You could buy rolls for three for a nickel, rent was a few dollars a week, and you could pick up warm clothes for just a little."

But now. Christmas, 1971. Ann George is going through another depression, for which she can say nothing cheery. It is the depression of being old. It is the poverty of alienation and obscurity. Twenty million Americans over 65 are faced with it, to some degree or another. One of every four of them are living in privation, two million subsist on bare Social Security payments alone, one-third of the lot are forced to live in the deteriorating cores of big cities, four out of every five are suffering from one form or other of chronic illness-disease.

And, most importantly, many of them are alone, desperately alone.

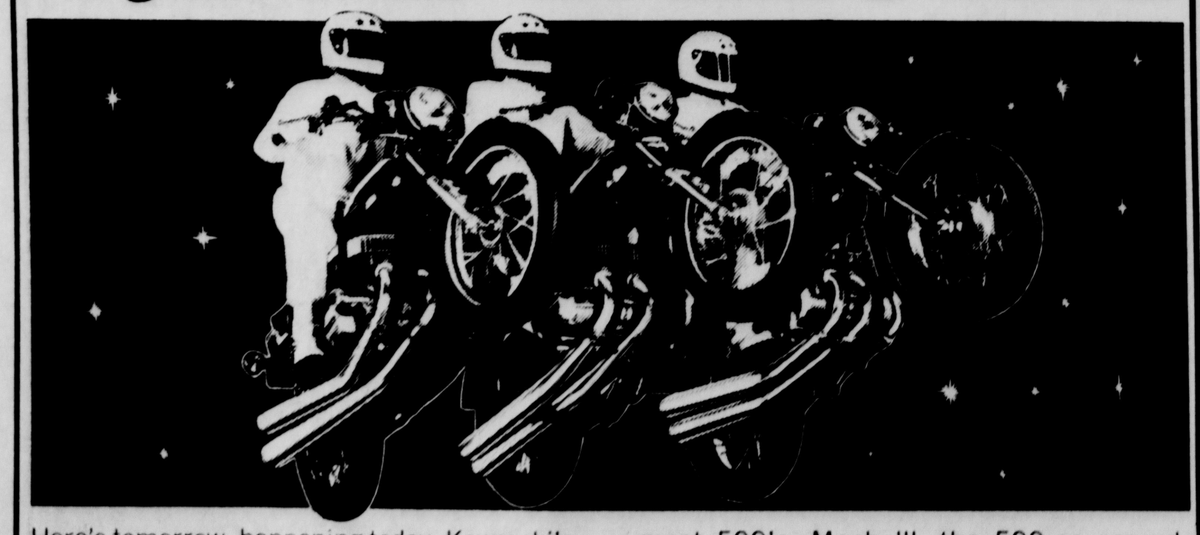
Like Ann George. "I've got a maid from the Welfare Department who comes up three times a week. I got a godson who's a nice boy and he stops by after school sometimes to see how I'm doing. And every so often the priest visits to hear my confession." Otherwise, the old woman has nobody. She is poor and sick and forgotten. "I hope they have a Christmas show this year," she says, staring out through the sweat of her public housing window, seeing little but the tops of other biildings. "I really don't know what I'd do without my television."

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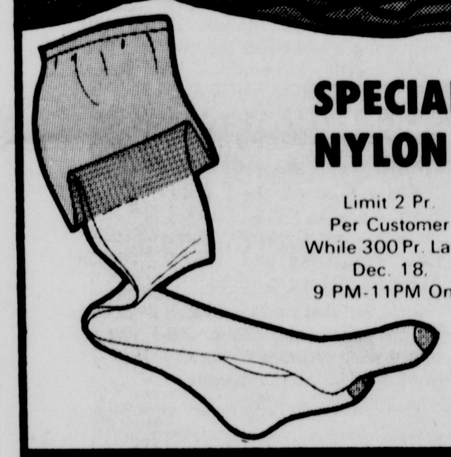


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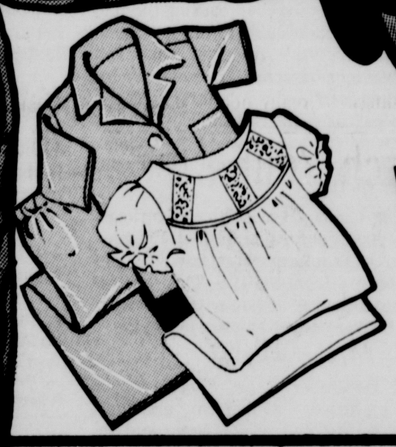
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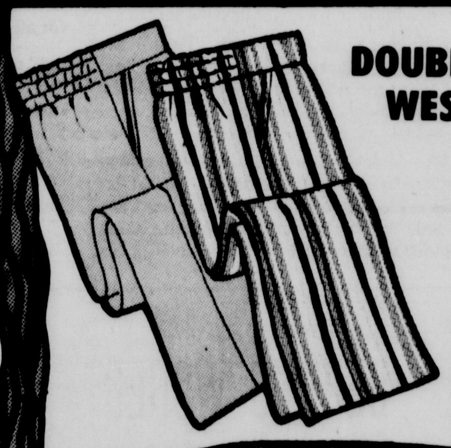


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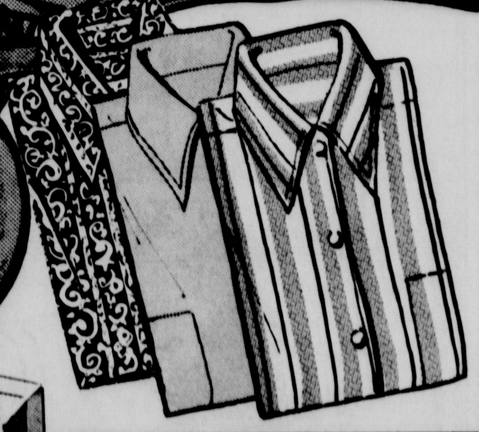
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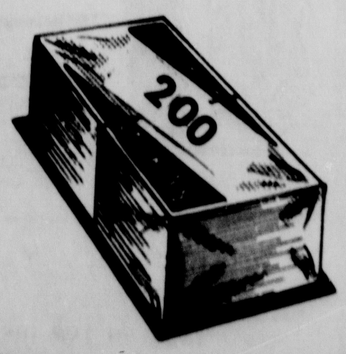
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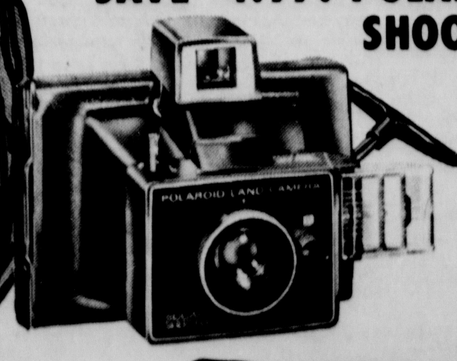


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Let's Make It Hot For Drug Pushers

The Democrat-Capital's report Wednesday that a 15-year-old boy had been suspended from Smith-Cotton High School for selling drugs to a girl student is cause for grave concern in the community.

On Thursday it was revealed that the substance was LSD, one of the most dangerous and potentially destructive drugs on the illicit market. LSD can and often does leave its unsuspecting victims permanent mental cripples. Fortunately that was not the case in this instance.

The school board acted promptly and correctly by expelling the youth who admitted selling the drug. But things can't stop there.

Who was the pusher from whom the LSD was bought? Where is he getting it? Are there additional sources of supply for such drugs, and just how widespread is the use of, or experimentation with, drugs at the high school?

These are not new questions, and law enforcement authorities have been aware in the past of such problems. But we would hope that this latest, shocking episode will give added impetus and determination to apprehend such offenders.

In a series of articles on the local drug problem run in this newspaper last year, an admitted user estimated that about half of the high school student body either used or experimented with drugs. This may well have been a greatly inflated figure, but even if only 5 or 10 per cent are involved, that would be serious enough.

Drug pushers who prey on impressionable high school youths and, God forbid, those even younger, are a breed apart, even in the loathsome world of the criminal. The authorities should spare no effort in running them to the ground and bringing them to justice.

But that will require cooperation between not only law enforcement authorities, but school officials, teachers, students and parents as well. The cause—making school safe for your children—is worth whatever effort is required.



A BUNCH OF WINNERS

Carl Rowan

Boss Daley Opens Backlash Campaign

CHICAGO — This city's pugnacious boss, Mayor Richard J. Daley, has given the country a dismaying preview of what the 1972 elections could be like.



Rowan

He has whipped his Democratic minions into approving a slate of candidates who offer the nakedest appeal to the "white backlash" and to emotions over busing and other racial issues. Some of the men chosen to carry the Democratic banner are hypocritical ex-liberals who have become opportunistic runners with the "law and order" mob.

Daley and his lieutenants have thrown blacks into a rage and many white liberals into despair by slating Edward V. Hanrahan for re-election as Cook County state's attorney. Hanrahan is under indictment for conspiring to obstruct justice in the police slayings of two Black Panthers on Dec. 4, 1969.

The evidence has convinced almost all blacks and many whites that the two Panthers, Fred Hampton and Mark Clark, were murdered by the police, and that Hanrahan lied and connived to protect the killers. So no calculated effort by Daley could have produced a greater affront to black voters.

As if slating Hanrahan were not insult enough, the Democrats slated Rep. Roman C. Pucinski to oppose incumbent Charles Percy in the U.S. Senate contest. That is like trying to swap fatback for pheasant — and all the more repulsive since Pucinski is fatback that once masqueraded as ham.

Pucinski has always been a second-rate congressman with a third-rate intellect, but his nose generally told him whether the wind was blowing off the rose garden or the outhouse.

Everything was coming up roses in 1961 when Jack Kennedy was in the White House and the moral pressures coming off Pennsylvania Avenue were pro-civil rights. Pucinski outdid nearly everybody and voted for every civil rights bill considered in the House, winning a perfect 100 per cent rating from the liberal Americans for Democratic Action (ADA) that year.

But now Pucinski is virulently anti-civil rights, voting against busing of school children and open housing — even referring to himself as "a conservative with a conscience."

The wind is clearly off the outhouse these days, and Pucinski is drifting with it.

Roman first felt the winds shift in 1966 when conservative John Hoellen almost beat him, campaigning primarily against Pucinski's civil rights record. The next year ex-100-per-cent-ADA-friend Pucinski was roaming the floor of the House crying for the prosecution of Stokely Carmichael and H. Rap Brown for "treason or sedition." By 1970 the ADA was giving Pucinski a rating of only 48 per cent. By election time 1972 it may be close to zero.

Even the dumbest of Daley's black flunkies should have been able to tell him that Hanrahan is, in the eyes of blacks, symbolic of the new Kluxers and their "let's kill a nigger legally" philosophy. It is almost unthinkable that any blacks with IQs over 30 would vote for him.

Did that faze Pucinski? No. Even before the slate was announced Pucinski was declaring publicly that he "would be proud to be on the ticket with Ed Hanrahan." That ought to guarantee that no black voter with an IQ above 50 will vote for Pucinski.

But assumptions can be erroneous. Daley thinks he bosses more than even we think he bosses. So the Boss is gambling that the black flunkies he pays, keeps, controls, will buy enough booze, fry enough fish, to manipulate black voters who have so often given him the margin of victory, will stay in the Democratic fold out of stupidity while white suburbanites and the East European ethnic groups will vote Democratic in gratitude for the anti-Negro slate.

But Daley just might find that the Rev. Jesse Jackson, the Urban League, the NAACP and other blacks who are protesting vociferously carry a lot more clout with black voters than do his stooges.

Hanrahan might still win on the backlash vote alone. But it is virtually impossible for Pucinski to defeat Percy if blacks desert the Democratic ticket and vote en masse for the Republican.

Why would an old political pro like Daley take such a brazen gamble on the backlash? Apparently he was convinced that the Republicans on the national level, and some on the Illinois and Cook County level, plan a virulent backlash campaign, trying to exploit emotions over busing, fears of open housing, uneasiness over "crime in the streets." Daley seems to have decided that the only way to lick them is to join them. With that kind of political statesmanship, this country doesn't need any foreign foes.

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South American Bears

The Andean black bear or spectacled bear is the only bear found in South America. It owes its name to the fawn-colored ring that encircles each eye, giving a rather fanciful resemblance to eyeglasses.

Blood Groups

As yet, a scientist cannot tell whether a person belongs to a certain race on the basis of his blood group. All blood groups occur among all races.

Merry-Go-Round

Cambodian Crisis Coming to a Head



By JACK ANDERSON

WASHINGTON — While world attention is riveted on the clash between India and Pakistan, secret diplomatic dispatches reveal that another grave crisis has developed in Southeast Asia.

A series of military reverses and the refusal of Cambodian Premier Lon Nol to curtail his dictatorial powers has led several of his top lieutenants to the brink of resignation.

What's more, intelligence reports disclose that there is now considerable doubt about the premier's mental and physical condition.

One intelligence report quotes a high Cambodian government source as saying: "The recent military reverses appeared to have caused Lon Nol to take leave of his senses."

The same source is quoted as saying that on Dec. 1 and 2 "during a helicopter tour of the Kompong Thom combat area, Lon Nol suffered a syncope (in the French connotation, this includes heart failure) from which he 'recovered' only after two days of intensive care."

Whatever the truth about the premier's health, there can be no doubt that his recent behavior has seriously alientated a number of top government officers, including Prime Minister Sirik Matak and Chief of State Cheng Heng.

Intelligence sources have informed the U.S. embassy in Phnom Penh that these two officials and several others met with Lon Nol on Dec. 7 and urged him to "relinquish active direction of governmental and political affairs and become Cambodian chief of state." This would make him a mere figurehead.

"Lon Nol replied that he did not intend to be chief of state at this time, that he did not intend to be chief of state under the new constitution and that he would be prime minister and head of government under the new constitution as under the old," reports the intelligence dispatch.

The crisis led U.S. Ambassador Emory Swank to fire off a confidential cable to Washington, expressing hope a compromise might be reached but containing a pessimistic summary of the situation.

"At issue," the cable says, "are not only Lon Nol's highly personal and arbitrary methods of operation but very possibly the future of his government should Sirik Matak and others choose to resign.

"The dilemma which Sirik Matak and these contenders face, however, is that none of them would appear to be a politically viable substitute for Lon Nol, with all his faults."

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Since intelligence reports can't always be verified, we use the Central Intelligence Agency's rating system. The source's reliability is rated alphabetically from A to F, and the content is given a numerical rating from 1 to 6.

Egyptian Preparations (A 2)—Israeli intelligence has corroborated reports that Egypt is making preparations to resume hostilities "in a few weeks." The Egyptians reportedly have in mind only "limited" military action. Israeli authorities have spread the word, however, that hostilities couldn't be kept limited.

Chinese Intervention (A-1)—The Chinese have been making weather checks along the Sino-Indian border since Dec. 8. This unusual interest in the weather has made the Indians highly nervous, causing them to issue anxious charges about Chinese "troop movements" in Tibet. Both the Indian and Soviet military attaches in Katamandu, Nepal, have asked the U.S. military attache whether he has picked up any reports of Chinese troops moving toward the border. But at this writing, no unusual movements have been spotted.

Jets for China (B-3)—Chinese officials have dropped guarded hints that Premier Chou En-lai is interested in buying some 747 jumbo jets from the U.S. This may be taken up during Chou's talks with President Nixon next February in Peking.

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In its December issue, Sports Afield makes a stirring appeal to end the "flagrant ruin of our woods, water and air by men without foresight or conscience."

Elsewhere in the same issue, the magazine attacks us for writing that outboard motors, with the exception of the newest models, gush 100 million gallons of gunk into our waters every year.

The defense of motorboat pollution was written by the boating editor, Zack Taylor, who neglected to mention that he has been wined, dined and junketed by the same motorboat makers he now defends. They have flown him to "conferences" from Arizona to Florida. Sometimes, they have handed him a first-class air ticket; other times, he has flown on chartered planes.

Putting up the money for his travel, meals and hotel expenses, not to mention free-flowing refreshments, has been such outboard makers as Mercury and Chrysler. He has responded by licking the fuel pump that feeds him.

Taylor rushed to the defense of the boating industry, incidentally, without bothering to check his facts. He accused us, for example, of taking our 100-million-gallon pollution figure from the makers of an anti-pollution device.

In fact, the figure came from a federal report, dated September, 1970, entitled "Contribution of Marine Outboard Engines to Water Pollution." The report declares for all to read:

"An estimate of the total amount of fuel discharged by outboard engines would be from 100 million to 200 million gallons." We selected the lower figure for our article.

Perhaps Sports Afield needs a new rudder in its boating department.

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"What do you mean, 'What do I do?'?"

Personal / Slants

By DOUG KNEIBERT

A couple of outstate Jaycees have jumped down our throat for reporting a while back that the Missouri Jaycees recommended approval of the one-cent soft drink tax to finance an expanded conservation effort in the state.

This error was reported at the time the local Jaycee chapter voted against the tax, 18 to 8.

Although our original information came from the local club's publicity man, we are happy to set the record straight: the Missouri Jaycees have thus far taken no position on the soft drink tax. Local clubs are making their views known to state headquarters, and based on this referendum the Missouri Jaycees will either back the proposed tax or remain neutral, I am told.

Speaking of the conservation initiative, I talked to John Rose the other day, who is the Pettis County chairman for the petition drive. "We've pretty well got our goal," John said, pointing out that there are about 100 petition forms placed over town.

The Pettis County goal is 1,436 signatures, he said. He added that he would welcome assistance by Boy Scouts or other youths who would help in a door-to-door campaign to get enough signatures to put him over the top. His number is 826-2964.

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Many people have a soft spot in their hearts for the Salvation Army, especially at Christmas time. I think what appeals to them is that the Army goes right to the need, without all the bureaucratic clutter we see in many government agencies.

The local post is no exception, and owes much of its support to a faithful band of donors, who each year remember the Army.

One of these small stories came to light at a recent board meeting of the local Salvation Army, where it was announced that Mrs. Jane Carney of New London, Conn., had sent her annual modest gift to the post, as she has every Christmas for several years.

"I am an old woman (old beyond my years)," Mrs. Carney wrote. "I know they (the Salvation Army) have worked hard to keep the candle of faith in God lit, and they are in need of help. My gift, though small, may bring a twinkle in the eyes of a small child, a little old grandpa or grandma. It may help to keep a small light going. It may help to prove that someone, somewhere, does care, and they remember."

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What do Casey Stengel, Walter Cronkite, Betty Grable, Vincent Price, Harry Truman, Joe Garagiola, Omar Bradley, Dick Van Dyke and Sen. J. William Fulbright all have in common?

Missouri, that's what, since all were born in the Show-Me State. This bit of information comes courtesy of the Missouri Tourism Commission.

There are others that the commission doesn't mention — Jack Oakie, born in Sedalia, for one, and Virginia Mayo, who is a native St. Louisan. There's even another Van Dyke—Leroy—who's pretty well known around these parts.

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Business was good for divorce lawyers in Pettis County last year.

There were 145 divorces granted in the county, according to a vital statistics report published by the Missouri Division of Health.

This is a rate of 4.2 divorces per 1,000 population, which is above the state average of 3.8. There were a total of 17,852 divorces granted in the state in 1970.

Divorce-wise, Pettis County was exceeded last year by only 12 counties. Missouri has 114 counties.

This is one statistic that should not be a particular source of pride for the county.

25 Years Ago

Two new employes have been engaged by the Chamber of Commerce during the past week. They are Mrs. C. M. Holmes, Route 3, Sedalia, and Miss Mary Alice Cook, Route 3, Sedalia.

40 Years Ago

The Smith-Cotton High School won the unanimous decision of the three judges in its league debate with the Smithton high school team Wednesday. . .August Hintz and William Seelin of Smith-Cotton upheld the affirmative side of the question on unemployment insurance, while Alice McBride and Armel Opp of Smithton debated the negative.

95 Years Ago

E. S. Richard's little spree only cost him $5. He swears to drink better or no liquor hereafter; and then if he resists an officer, to do it very mildly. He got off lightly.

Earned Nickname

Delaware earned the nickname of "First State" by being the first of the 13 original states to ratify the Constitution on Dec. 7, 1787. Its representatives in Congress have always had the honor of leading the parade of states when presidents are inaugurated.

Has Swivel Neck

The African bush baby cannot move its big, soulful eyes in their sockets and, to look at something to one side, it must actually turn its head. Its neck can swivel almost 180 degrees.

Candidates Urge Farmers' Action

KANSAS CITY (AP) — Fresh evidence that the 1972 presidential election is only 11 months away was available in wholesale quantities here Thursday.

Key figures from both major parties addressed several thousand delegates at the convention of the militant National Farmers Organization.

In the course of a day in which they were addressed by Sens. Hubert Humphrey, D-Minn., a likely contender for his party's presidential nomination, and Robert Dole, R-Kan., the GOP national chairman, the delegates whistled, jumped to their feet to applaud, and, on a couple of occasions, booed heartily.

Humphrey, hit hard at the Nixon Administration's farm policies and declared afterward, "As of today, I would think the administration is in serious trouble in rural America as far as votes are concerned."

Several hours later, Dole told newsmen, "I think we will carry the Midwest. But it's going to be tough."

Their appearances followed by one day a speech by Sen. George McGovern of South Dakota, an announced candidate for the Democratic presidential nomination.

Maine Sen. Edmund Muskie, who has not announced but is widely regarded as the leading Democratic contender, is to speak tonight.

The political pot boiled on other fronts, too, as Oren Lee Staley, NFO president, announced that the organization had rejected feelers for a visit to the convention by Dr. Earl Butz, the new secretary of agriculture.

The NFO, a nonpartisan group which pushes for collective bargaining by independent farmers, had vigorously opposed Butz' nomination before his confirmation by the Senate last month.

Staley explained the decision this way: "I thought the fight (against Butz' confirmation) had been too heated and too hot and the time was too close for that invitation."

At a news conference following his speech, Dole said the 51-44 vote by which the Senate confirmed Butz' nomination "indicated the election was on in rural America."

Dole opened his speech by remarking he was under no illusion that he was attending a pro-Nixon meeting.

Moments later, speaking of ways to stimulate the rural economy, Dole said, "I want to bring industry to rural America..." and was loudly booed.

"You haven't heard the punch line yet," he said. "...But what I really want to do is increase the farmer's income."

The Kansas senator, generally regarded as a primary administration spokesman, urged his audience to take a broad view in evaluating Nixon's performance as president.

Inflation, he said, has played a major role in the small farmer's economic problems.

Nixon has acted to combat that inflation with both his new economic policies and his efforts to end the Southeast Asian war and withdraw the United States from it, Dole said.

He also said per capita farm income in the three years since Nixon took office was 75.2 per cent that of nonfarm workers. He called that "a serious discrepancy," but a significant improvement over the 67.6 per cent average he quoted for the previous eight years under Democratic presidents.

"There's room for improvement in both political parties," he said.

Humphrey sounded a similar note, telling the delegates, "Neither political party has done justice by the American farmer."

At his news conference, the former vice president said, "I do not believe this administration wants to raise farm prices." Rather, he contended, it wants "cheap food" as a means of fighting inflation.

"There can be no general economic prosperity in the nation unless we achieve agricultural prosperity," he said.

He argued that rural development hinges on "three priorities—a fair price, a fair income and full parity."

Pressed several times by newsmen wanting to know when and if he would declare his presidential aspirations, Humphrey declined to pin himself down. He said at one point, "But if you wait a little while...," indicating a decision would be made about mid-January.

Dole noted that President Nixon has not yet announced that he will run again. But Dole said that if Nixon doesn't run, "We've got a lot of stuff to throw away at the Republican National Committee."



Speaks to NFO

Sen. Hubert Humphrey gestures as he speaks to the National Farmer's Organization in Kansas City Thursday. Humphrey told the farmers that they should press their case for better income opportunities in 1972. (UPI)

Conference Is Attended

Three members of the Sedalia Chamber of Commerce attended a special pre-legislative conference Wednesday in Jefferson City, sponsored by the Missouri Chamber of Commerce.

The local delegation consisted of John St. Clair, chairman of the legislative affairs committee; Don Callis, agricultural committee chairman; and Chuck Lawrence, executive manager of the Chamber.

The all-day session was held specifically for Chamber of Commerce executives. The agenda covered issues expected to affect business in 1972, the voting record of state representatives on key issues during the 1971 legislative session and how local chamber organizations and the Missouri Chamber of Commerce can cooperate to the benefit of all businesses in the state.

About 75 persons from chambers throughout Missouri attended the meeting.

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Confiscate 'Inflated' Nixon Money

DETROIT (AP) — The Secret Service has confiscated thousands of inflated—in size—"Nixon dollars" that Michigan Democrats had been circulating to spoof the President and his economic policy.

Amused Democrats declared after the seizure Thursday that they knew dollars had been in short supply under the Nixon administration but they didn't realize how short.

A spokesman for the Secret Service said the oversized bills were confiscated as contraband under a federal law forbidding the use of imitation U.S. currency for novelty or advertising purposes.

"Nixon dollars" are about one-third larger than regular dollar bills. On the front is an image of President Nixon flashing a victory sign with one hand while crossing the fingers of the other. On the back the bills say, "God Help Us."

Each "One Frozen Dollar" is signed by "M. Mitchell, Keeper of the Cookie Jar," and by "John Con Lee, Secretary of the Treasury."

Tunaboat Incident Recalled

SAN DIEGO, Calif. (AP) — Presidential Counsellor Robert Finch says the United States used a show of force to intercede once when Ecuador moved to seize U.S. tunaboats for fishing within its 200-mile limit.

"They were pretty well shaken up when we made a show of force at one point," Finch said Thursday. He made the disclosure in an interview but declined to elaborate on it.

Finch also said that the United States is willing to buy Ecuadorian 200-mile fishing licenses under protest.

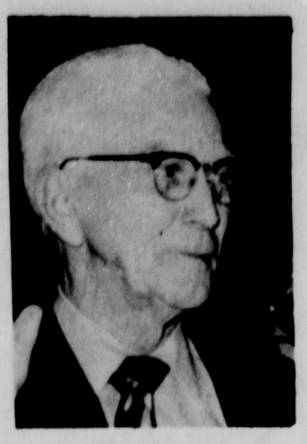
The South American nation has seized 53 tuna boats from the United States this year in its claimed 200-mile territorial sea. More than $2 million in fines has been paid by U.S. boat owners. By law Congress reimburses the boat owners.

Finch recently returned from a seven-hour negotiating session with Ecuadorian President Jose Velasco Ibarra and reported that nation turned down a U.S. offer to pay fishing license money into a trust fund until the dispute is settled during the 1973 International Law of the Sea Conference.

Geneological Group Schedules Meeting

WARRENSBURG — The West Central Geneological Society will meet at 7:30 p.m. Dec. 26 at the Johnson County courthouse here.

Persons interested in attending the meeting are encouraged to bring family and historical records that may be of interest to others.



Albert Newman

Re-Elect Newman President

Albert W. Newman, 901 South Limit, was re-elected president of the Pettis County Realtors Association for 1972 Thursday night at the organization's annual Christmas party at the Old Missouri Homestead.

Also re-elected for a second term as secretary-treasurer was Mrs. Otis M. Waller, 703 West 24th. Absent from the meeting due to illness was Hank Monsees, Route 2, who was elected vice-president of the organization.

Newman was first elected to the association's top executive post in 1971. He has been a Sedalia realtor for 15 years. His duties include presiding over the association's meetings each month and dealing with grievances, Newman told The Democrat-Capital.

Social Calendar

SATURDAY

Grin 'n Square Dance Club will meet at 8 p.m. at the Labor Hall, 1102 East Third.

Osage Chapter of the Daughters of the American Revolution will meet at 1 p.m. at the Bothwell Hotel.

MONDAY

Group 9 of the First Christian Church will meet at 7:30 p.m. with Mrs. David Menefee, 812 South Barrett.

TUESDAY

Pettis County Democratic Club will meet at 7 p.m. at the Bothwell Hotel.

Mark Twain PTA will meet at 7:45 p.m. at the school.

THRIFTY FINANCE CHRISTMAS MONEY ASK US

Ashbrook In Blast At Nixon

WASHINGTON (AP) — Rep. John Ashbrook of Ohio, mentioned as the likely candidate for a conservative challenge to President Nixon, has accused Nixon of turning his back on conservative causes that he supported in his 1968 campaign.

Ashbrook placed a blistering criticism of Nixon in the Congressional Record Thursday.

The 43-year-old Republican said the hallmark of the Nixon administration so far has been "the presentation of liberal policies in the verbal trappings of conservatism."

On the domestic front, Ashbrook said, "The most notable feature of President Nixon's performance has been his readiness not merely to continue but to expand upon the social and economic programs of his Democratic predecessors."

In foreign policy, he said, Nixon's overtures to Red China and Russia have weakened anti-Communist forces in the world.

Ashbrook said he is still not decided whether to run against Nixon but conceded his statement in the record indicated an inclination to do so.

He said he is going to New Hampshire next week to assess his chances should he decide to enter that state's March 7 Republican primary. Ashbrook said he will announce his decision during Christmas week.

Christmas Concert At S-C on Monday

The Smith-Cotton PTA will sponsor a Christmas Choral Concert at 7:30 p.m. Monday at the school auditorium.

The program will feature the Concert Choir and the New Score Singers under the direction of Tom Trout, vocal music instructor at Smith-Cotton.

The New Score Singers are an outgrowth of the Madrigal Singers group, who performed at past Christmas concerts.

Admission to the concert is free.



Lawrence Lamb, M.D.

Time Needed For Tendon Injuries

Dear Dr. Lamb — I am a track runner. While running this past summer I hurt my Achilles tendon. I rested for one week and then tried to run but it hurt so I rested for two weeks, bathing the ankle in warm water and epsom salts. I am running now but there is the same pain in the tendon connecting the calf muscle with the heel. It is also kind of stiff. I am wondering if this could develop into permanent or serious injury if I continue to run. How can this be quickly and properly healed? What steps should I take to insure this won't recur?

Dear Reader — These are often very difficult to treat. As long as the problem persists you simply can't run. You may have an inflammation around the tendon or an injury to the muscle where it attaches. Some doctors have reported success by injecting the area with cortisone, or with Novocain, then gently stretching the muscle. More than one injection may be necessary to obtain relief. Short of that I can only recommend heat, rest and gentle movement to gradually help regain full movement of the ankle.

Poor running habits contribute to the problem. Be sure when you run that you let your heel take most of the body weight, not the toe. If you run with your toe reacing out first, let the foot sink to catch the weight on the heel. A lot of people get similar problems from jogging and running in excess of their level of fitness and through using their toes. Rest of the ankle is absolutely necessary. Walking however may help regain function earlier.

Dear Dr. Lamb — First may I say your column is very interesting. I was wondering if you would enlighten me on what really is heart convulsions?

Would you say they are dangerous? What causes them and what treatment is given? My mother, who is 57, has these quite often but went to a doctor only once. I am in favor of her going to a heart specialist.

Dear Reader — There are several things you could mean. When the heart beats so slowly that there is inadequate circulation to the brain, a convulsion occurs. Another condition is a gross irregularity of the heart to the point that it can't pump blood. This causes those dramatic "cardiac arrests" you have probably seen on TV. These don't recur very often since they are fatal unless there is immediate medical assistance.

Less complex irregularities may cause symptoms and would require an examination to identify. In any case you are right, she should go see a heart specialist.

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Still Brook	—	$4.33	—
Very Old Barton	$4.42	—	—
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1889	$4.52	$5.43	$10.58
Jim Beam	$4.47	$5.29	$9.42
Glenmore	$4.18	$4.66	—
Yellowstone	$4.42	$5.43	$9.81
Seagram's 7 Crown	$4.52	$5.43	$16.19
Seagram's V.O.	$5.87	$7.26	$14.22
Kentucky Tavern	$4.38	$5.34	$9.52
Early Times	$4.62	$5.48	$9.42
Ancient Age	$4.62	$5.53	$9.26
Dant 10 Yr. Old	$3.75	—	—
Dant 86 Proof	$4.09	—	—
Dant 100 Proof	$4.57	$5.53	—
Old Fitzgerald	$5.48	—	—
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Ezra Brooks	$5.05	$6.01	$10.53
Walker's Deluxe	$5.00	$6.06	—
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I.W. Harper 86 Proof	$5.24	$6.30	—
Old Grand Dad	$5.53	$6.28	—
Canadian Club	$5.87	$7.25	$14.44
Crown Royal	$8.29	—	—
Wild Turkey	$7.60	—	—
Bench Mark	$5.53	—	—
Lord Calvert's	$4.81	$5.63	—

SCOTCHES

	Fifth	Qts.	½ Gal.
Crawford's	$3.85	$4.71	—
House of Stewart	—	$4.71	—
Vat 69	$5.14	—	—
King George IV	$4.23	—	—
Haig	$5.63	$6.78	—
J. W. Red	$6.25	$7.74	$14.62
Cutty Sark	$6.59	$8.17	$15.86
J & B	$6.54	$8.03	—
100 Pipers	$6.49	$7.98	—
Chivas Regal	$8.56	—	—
McKenzie	$4.76	$5.00	—

VODKAS

Nova 80	$3.08	$3.80	$7.40
Gilbey's 80	$3.56	$4.18	—
McCormick 80	$3.46	$4.04	$7.98
Gordon 80	$3.56	$4.23	—
Smirnoff 80	$4.13	$4.90	$9.81
Tvarski 80	—	$3.75	—

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Gilbey's	$3.65	$4.47	$8.46
Glenmore	—	$3.85	$7.31
Gordon's	$3.94	$4.76	—
Tanqueray	$5.53	—	—
Beefeaters	$5.48	—	—

CHAMPAGNES, WINES AND COLD DUCK

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Bardenheier's	5th	$2.36
Meirs	5th	$2.89
Paul Masson	5th	$4.28
Andre	5th	$1.92
Pierre Michello	5th	$2.26
Lancers	5th	$3.85
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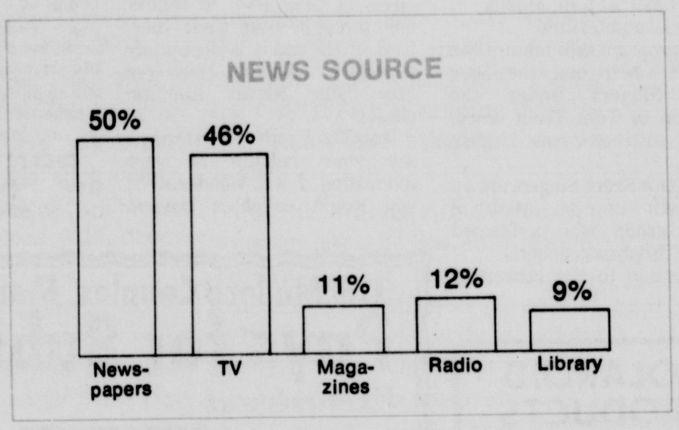
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Here, from a nationwide sample of 2,023 men and women age 18 and over, are some of the key findings of that research.

1. When people want to find out about news they are very much interested in, they rely on the newspaper more than any other medium.

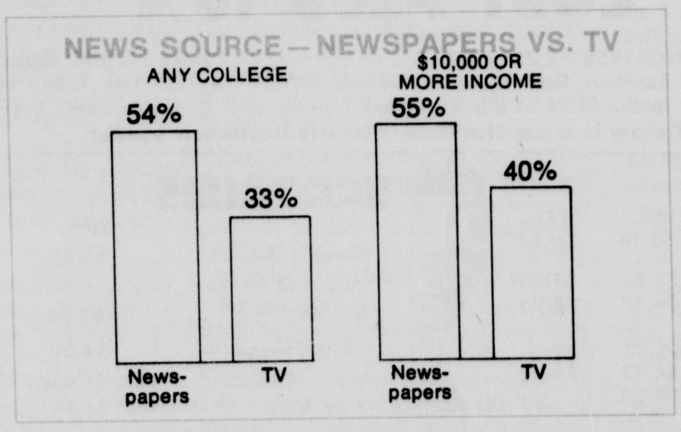
Opinion Research Corporation asked: "Suppose there is some news you are very much interested in. Where would you be most likely to find out all there is about it?" Here's how people answered:



Clearly, newspapers are America's prime medium for news. Only television comes close, and as we shall see, television does *not* come close among your best customers.

2. The newspapers' lead over television is greatest among the people advertisers want to reach most.

Asked the same question about news, people who had attended college named newspapers over television by a substantial 54% to 33% margin. Those with incomes of $10,000 or more gave newspapers a 55% to 40% advantage over television. Thus:



The high-spending 30-49 age group chose newspapers over television by 56% to 45%. Even among the 18-29 age group, supposedly "the television generation," newspapers were named as the news source for 46% of the sample compared to 40% for television.

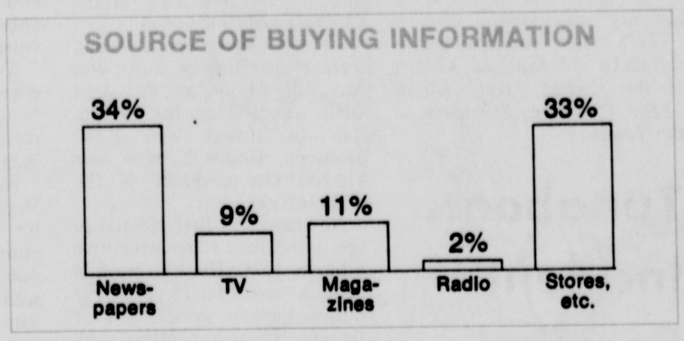
In fact, television led only among those with less than a high school education (55% to 43%), those with incomes under $5,000 (53% to 43%) and those age 50 or over (51% to 48%).

Your best customers, then, rely very heavily on newspapers for their *news*. But that's not all. Read on.

3. When people are ready to buy, they turn to newspapers for the facts they need by more than 3 to 1 over any other news medium.

Opinion Research Corporation asked: "When you are ready to buy something, where are you most likely to find the kind of advertising that gives you the facts you want to know?"

Here's how people answered:



Obviously, when people actually start shopping for something in your product category, your advertisement had *better* be in the newspaper.

4. The most desirable prospects prefer newspapers over television even more strongly as a source of advertising information.

Among those with at least some college, newspapers outscored television by 27% to 4%.

People with incomes of $10,000 or more named newspapers over television by 30% to 6%.

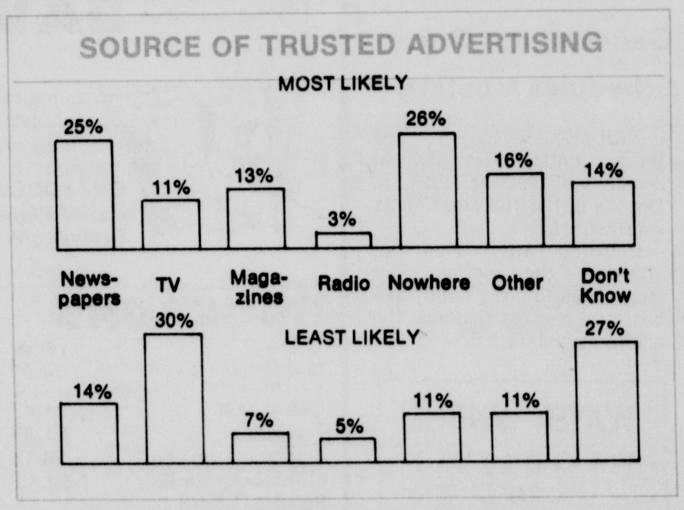
Among young adults (ages 18-29), newspapers led television by 28% to 6%.

Even among television's "best customers" (low-income, low education, age 50 and over), newspapers had a better than 2½ to 1 advantage.

No question about it. The more desirable the customer, the more likely he or she is to be looking for your advertisement—literally *looking* for it—in the newspaper.

5. People trust advertising in newspapers far more than in any other medium.

Opinion Research Corporation asked: "Where are you personally most likely to find advertising that can be trusted? And where are you least likely to?" Here's how people answered:



Trust in advertising is concentrated in newspapers, while distrust is even more strikingly concentrated on television. With today's growing need for believability, advertisers who use newspapers to carry their messages are getting an important advantage over television.

6. Key demographic groups trust newspaper advertising overwhelmingly compared to television advertising.

Once again, the better-educated, higher-income, more youthful groups give newspapers the widest margin over television.

	Most likely to find advertising that can be trusted		Least likely to find advertising that can be trusted	
	Newspapers	TV	Newspapers	TV
Any college:	20%	5%	15%	42%
$10,000 + income:	23%	6%	13%	37%
Age 18-29:	21%	7%	17%	38%

These more sophisticated groups are far more suspicious of television, far more likely to believe what they see in a newspaper advertisement.

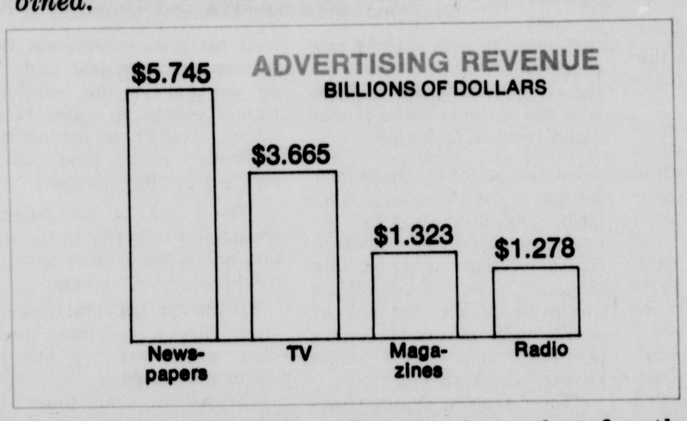
To summarize: Americans rely on the newspaper as their most complete, most trustworthy source of information, whether it is news or advertising. And the better the education and income level, the more this is true.

The findings of the Opinion Research Corporation are strongly confirmed by other equally unbiased statistical data.

Simmons '70, for example, reports that 78 out of every 100 adult Americans read at least one newspaper on the average weekday, far more than are exposed to any other news medium. Simmons also confirms the newspaper's leadership among "best customer" groups, too: daily readership is 87% among college graduates, 84% among those earning $10,000 or more, 86% among under-25 married couples.

While television ratings have dropped over the past five years, the newspaper business has never been healthier. In 1970, circulation increased to a record daily average of 62,107,527.

Advertising revenue is growing still faster. In fact, newspaper advertising revenue has consistently outpaced even the massive growth of the Gross National Product since 1945. In 1970, advertisers spent $5,745,000,000 on newspaper advertising, $3,665,000,000 on television, $1,323,000,000 in magazines, and $1,278,000,000 on radio. To put it another way, advertisers spent almost as much in newspapers, as in TV, magazines and radio *combined.*



Further, preliminary figures show that for the first 8 months of 1971 newspaper advertising revenues increased 6.6% overall, with *national* advertising up an impressive 12.7%.

As an advertising or marketing man, you might want to take an especially hard look at that last figure. Even national advertisers, wedded so long to the computerized cost per thousand efficiencies of television, are once again realizing that their customers are flesh-and-blood *people* rather than mere numbers. And that—as the Opinion Research Corporation study shows—the way people use the mass media is at least as important to an advertiser as simple exposure to advertising messages alone.

Retailers, whose advertising must produce traceable results in a day or two, have never forgotten this stern fact. They cannot hide behind exposure figures: they must have sales. That is why department stores quite wisely spend an overwhelming 80% of their advertising budgets in newspapers.

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Business Mirror

Former Commercial Pilot Fascinated By Railroads

By JOHN CUNNIFF
AP Business Analyst

NEW YORK (AP) — Harold Graham is a former commercial pilot and airline executive who believes that the business of carrying passengers over railroads is a fascinating concept with unlimited possibilities.

Soft-spoken, low-keyed, Graham becomes enthusiastic about the future. "There are few new industries in this world," he says. Rail travel, he claims, can be a brand new way of life.

Hold on Mr. Graham. A new way of life? Railroading a new business?

In 1929 about 20,000 passenger trains rolled the rails. They carried 77 per cent of all passenger traffic between cities. In 1970 only 450 trains remained and they carried only 7.2 per cent of intercity traffic.

Whether they were driven off by poor service or whether the passengers deserted the rails for the car, bus and plane is a moot question. But what the figures seem to say is that this is not a new industry but a dying one.

Well, Graham explains, new in the sense of the possibilities, new in the way it fits into a new life style. To Graham, railroads can be the answer to ecologists' prayers, the solution to businessmen's fatigue, the opportunity for family vacations.

Speaking in this manner, Graham could only work for the National Railroad Passenger Corp, AMTRAK, the new corporation responsible for running most of the nation's intercity passenger trains. He is vice president-marketing.

He begins with the assumption that the American public really wants trains if they are clean, efficient, gracious.

"There has long been a love-hate relationship between the railroads and the people," he says. "They love the railroads but they hate the people who run them."

There is, he says, a mystique about the rails. They pushed back the frontier, opened the West. They belonged as much to the farmer who set his clock by the train whistle as to the financiers who owned them. They are Americana.

The plane never meant so much to the people, Graham believes. It flies over, often unseen. It is an impersonal object. It belongs to somebody else.

But the airlines flourished and the trains deteriorated.

Now, he feels, there is a chance to recapture the business and the way of life. The market is there, he says. It simply has to be found through experimentation and then priced competitively.

"We can make a family train trip an event," he says. "Union members now get four to six weeks vacations and they'll be more prone to take mini-vacations. We can make all the accomodations, solve all the problems at the end of the line."

For the businessman, Graham hopes to sell the concept of the overnight trip—New York to Atlanta, Los Angeles to San Francisco—as a graceful, relaxing, efficient way to operate. Good food, music, working conditions.

"What's this about ecology?" he was asked. The train, he suggested, is beautiful. It doesn't take up space. It doesn't pollute the atmosphere.

"A normal four-lane highway takes 40 acres a mile," he said. "How much more do you want to strip the land at the expense of housing and greenery? An airport takes 15,000 to 20,000 acres of land. Where are you going to find that kind of tract reasonably close to traffic centers?"

One problem remains: Can all this be profitable? Nobody can say for sure. They just hope.



Jaycees' Gift

Harold Norton, left, of the Pettis County Parents Association, received a $2,454.80 check from Jaycee President Joe Doggett, right, Thursday night at a Jaycee dinner at the Holiday Inn. The donation will go to the Sheltered Workshop and the state school for retarded children. (Democrat-Capital Photo)

Explains Programs On Game

The wildlife management and upland game programs of the Missouri Conservation Department were explained to Sedalia Kiwanians at their meeting Thursday noon at the Bothwell Hotel.

Jim Choate, the new supervisor of the upland game program, explained the responsibilities of his division with the aid of color slides. Choate is a native of Windsor.

Lands owned by the Conservation Department are managed to yield the maximum number of game animals, Choate said. He explained how grazing and farming practices are adapted to make this possible.

Choate stressed the need for preserving wildlife habitats on private lands, the desirability of avoiding clear-cutting and removal of all underbrush.

The major game animals managed by his divison are deer, rabbit, wild turkey and quail, Choate said. He said he doubted that the prairie chicken would ever make a comeback in Missouri due to loss of habitat, but said he was encouraged about starting pheasant populations in the state.

John Ryan, program chairman, introduced the speaker.

The Rev. Harold Palm, a former Lutheran missionary to Tanzania, was the guest of the Rev. Greg Hibbard. Robert Pearson, Rolla, was a guest of Henry Salveter, and Bob Maxwell was introduced by Jack Fowler.

M. L. Edwards introduced Kent Eckhoff, a new club member.

Birthday greetings were extended to Herb Taylor, Leo Harned, Cecil Owen and Oren Henry.

The invocation was given by the Rev. Greg Hibbard, and singing was led by Abe Rosenthal, accompanied by Mrs. Keith Maynard.

Thant Leaves Great Hope

ST. LOUIS (AP) — During one of the most difficult times in his ten years as Secretary-General of the United Nations, U Thant said Thursday he was leaving the post "with a feeling of great hope for the future."

With the Security Council unable to come up with a cease-fire resolution for the Indian-Pakistan war, Thant was forced to cancel a visit here. He was scheduled as main speaker at a symposium on the U.N. Second Development Decade.

He addressed the group of 1,000 business and civic leaders briefly via closed circuit television and a prepared text, although not read aloud was distributed. In it he said he "would be one of the most frustrated men on earth" if his duties were limited only to the political field.

"This is because governments all two often turn to their world organization only in times of crisis — usually when it is too late . . . but they are most vocal in dubbing the organization a failure after they have let trouble break loose and allowed the situation to deteriorate," Thant said.

"In the impatient voices from all quarters calling for an end to the United Nations and its replacement with a more dynamic and more effective instrument for peace, this Secretary-General can only reply:

"Take care: in today's troubled world there might even be a chance to establish a new international organization — much less one better than the United Nations, brish it, improve it, but do not forsake it."

"There are, in my view, some silver linings on the horizon which may herald the advent of a more fruitful political era," Thant said. "There have been signs of detente and friendlier relationships in Europe . . . there has been no world war in the last 26 years . . . there has been no major nuclear accident . . . a major part of humanity has been freed from colunialism . . . racism and discrimination are retreating."

He said the "economic development of the power countries offers the most solid long range hopes for peace in this world.

"I have advocated meetings at the summit on many occasions . . . I hope that they will also come when such meetings take place informally and frequently at the United Nations," he said.

Thant, 62, tried to resign from his post after his first five-year term ended in 1966. But the former Burmese U.N. representative was persuaded to stay on. He said he would resign at the end of this year but no successor has been named.

He was appointed to the job in 1961, on an acting basis, after the death of Dag Hammerskjold. At the time there was conflict in the Congo and a developing conflict between India and Pakistan. In 1965 Thant flew on to the Asian nations on a peace mission, laying the groundwork for a cease-fire and the stationing of a U.N. observer ground along their border.

"Even if the prophets of doom and despair were to be right in the end, it cannot be reaching its worldwide adulthood had not seriously tried to pursue on a global scale its age-old aspiration for good instead of evil, for peace instead of war, for well-being instead of poverty, for justice and for friendship instead of discrimination.

"I will leave the United Nations with a feeling of great hope for the future."

Farm Roundup

Iowa Again Becomes Top Cattle Producer

WASHINGTON (AP) — Iowa again has moved into the lead as the nation's top producer of grain-fed cattle. It had taken a backseat to Texas for five months.

As of Dec. 1, an Agriculture Department report said, Iowa had 1,917,000 cattle being fed for slaughter markets, compared with 1,728,000 in Texas.

Last July 1 a similar report showed Texas-fed cattle at 1.7 million head, compared with 1.63 million for Iowa. That was the first time, officials said, Iowa had been nudged out as the top beef producer.

Over-all, seven states reported more than 8.8 million head being fed on Dec. 1, a boost of nearly 400,000 from a month earlier.

The Kansas inventory, showing 1,090,000 cattle on Dec. 1, compared to 1,023,000 on Nov. 1. No comparison from a year ago was available.

The Dec. 1 Iowa tally showed a four per cent gain from a year ago. Texas was up 15 per cent from December last year.

Other states surveyed included: Nebraska 1,537,000 as of Dec. 1, up nine per cent from a year earlier; Colorado 959,000 up 11 per cent; Arizona 524,000 down one per cent; and California 1,077,000 up one per cent.

With the exception of Arizona, all states showed cattle put in feedlots during November increased from a year earlier. Iowa placements were up eight per cent; Nebraska five; Texas 19; Colorado 22; and California seven. Arizona cattle placements were down 10 per cent from a year earlier, and Kansas was not reported.

Agriculture Department officials expect cattle markets to continue strong, but the huge corn crop and lower feed prices sould mean unpredictable pressures later.

The economists also say much depends on whether hog producers stick to plans for cutting back sow farrowings this winter. If they turn out a larger pig crop next year than expected, it would result in stiffer competition for beef.

WASHINGTON (AP) — Lower grain prices this fall have forced farmers to put much more corn and wheat under government price support loan than they did a year ago.

As of Dec. 1, the department says, 313.1 million bushels of 1971-crop corn were in the loan program, compared with 91.6 million a year earlier from 1970 production.

United States Hoping For Monetary Revamp

WASHINGTON (AP) — With key issues still to be resolved, the United States expects to forge a new international monetary settlement by the time the 92nd Congress reconvenes Jan. 18.

If things work out as planned, the settlement would include agreement on a new pattern of money-exchange rates, elimination of some trade barriers to U.S. goods, and some sharing of defense costs by U.S. allies.

The Nixon administration then would be ready to introduce in Congress its bill to devalue the dollar, which it agreed to do in principle earlier this week. It might also be the time for the death of the import surcharge.

U.S. officials have emphasized that any monetary settlement must be a package deal in which elimination of some trade barriers, notably by the Common Market, and sharing of defense costs are included.

But the next month will be crucial. First, finance ministers and central bankers of the 10 richest non-Communist nations gather here this week to discuss how much their currencies should be worth in relation to each other. At the same time, U.S. officials plan bilateral talks with trade representatives on stripping away barriers to U.S. exports.

Then President Nixon has key meetings scheduled with leaders of West Germany, Japan and Britain. Trade and burden-sharing of defense costs are expected to be among topics of discussion.

Nixon broke a logjam and enhanced a currency-trade-defense-cost settlement when he agreed to devalue the dollar as part of a new international monetary settlement. He did so Tuesday in a meeting in the Azores with French President Georges Pompidou.

The United States wants revaluation of several major currencies to go along with the dollar devaluation, principally an increase in the value of the Japanese yen and the West German mark.

The aim of all this is to eliminate the nation's long-standing deficit in its balance of payments and, just as important, to make the United States more competitive in world trade.

Prospects that the finance ministers and central bankers will sketch the broad outlines of new currency realignments at this week's meeting appear promising, at least in the mind of the Treasury Department.

"There is still a substantial amount of hope that progress can be made this weekend," a spokesman said.

Winners In Series Are Big Losers

By CYNTHIA LOWRY
AP Television-Radio Writer

NEW YORK (AP) — ABC's hard-riding pair who call themselves Smith and Jones each week win their struggle to stay within the law, but they continue to be losers in television.

"Alias Smith and Jones" has never really had a chance. Ever since the series made its midseason debut a year ago, its competition has been "The Flip Wilson Show," one of the most popular programs on the air.

It would be interesting to see how the light-hearted Western would do in some other time period. While the hour does bear a strong family resemblance to "Butch Cassidy and the Sundance Kid," it is not annoyingly imitative. Pete Duel and Ben Murphy are attractive and engaging leads. And the strongest element in the series is the scripts. Most often they start with a situation that is a cliche of the TV western, but then the story goes romping off in a direction all its own.

Thursday night's show was typical. Somebody robbed the Touchstone bank and the two ex-outlaws, Smith and Jones, were blamed. Into this familiar stew were mixed Ann Southern playing a Jolly 21 dealer in the local saloon, Jessica Walters playing the beautiful waitress in the local diner who was mixed up with the banker's no-good son-in-law. It worked out amusingly—without a shot being fired or a fist being clenched.

"Longstreet," which follows, was perking along nicely with its blind investigator solving a case a week until NBC wheeled its paraplegic detective, "Ironside," into the same time spot. The result, so far, is that "Longstreet" is taking a bit of a pasting in the ratings.

This new competition seems unfortunate from the viewpoint of the audience. "Longstreet" is a rather well done action show, extremely well acted by James Franciscus in the tricky title role of a sightless man. The stories are well conceived, the climaxes logical.

"Owen Marshall: Counselor-at-Law," which winds up ABC's Thursday night prime time, is an excellent courtroom series with Arthur Hill playing a calm, wise attorney in convincing style. Most of the scripts combine an investigation and a trial, and are several cuts above the usual programs of this type.

The hour, like the two that precede it, deserves more attention than it seems to be getting.

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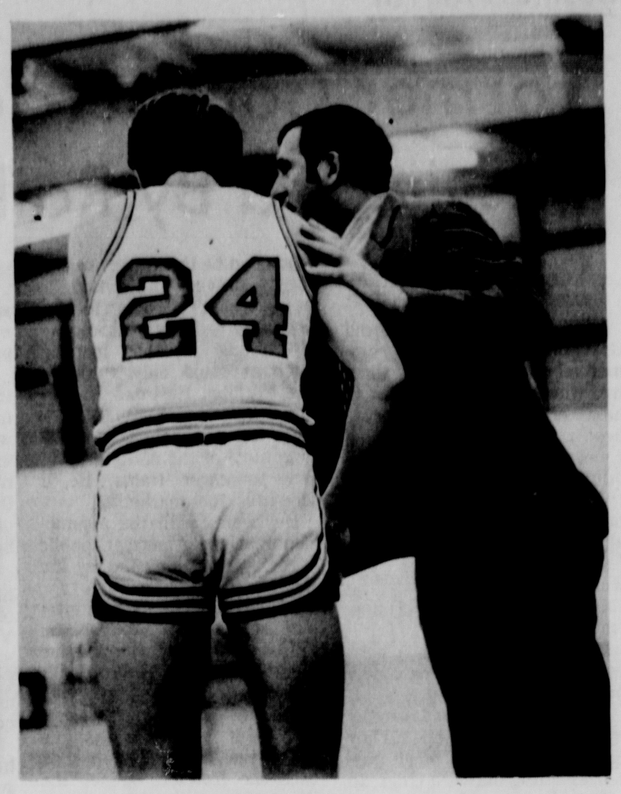
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Press Turns Tide

Roadrunners Nail 80-69 Loss on Trenton

By VAUGHN HART
Sports Editor

State Fair Community College built up a 23-point lead early in the second half of their game Thursday night against Trenton Junior College and went on to post a somewhat unimpressive 80-69 victory.

After faltering in the early going of the game and dropping behind by six points two times, the Roadrunners' full court press caught hold and boosted them ahead for good with 11:33 left in the opening period on a field goal by forward Myles Yates.

Within two minutes SFCC was leading by 10, 21-11, and from then on it was an uphill struggle for the visiting Pirates.

Although the Roadrunners' press looked tenacious at times, they had trouble in both halves on offense and defense.

"We've been on the road so much," said SFCC basketball coach Bill Barton, "that I guess coming home is just another strange court." Only three of the Roadrunners' first 12 encounters have been in the Agriculture Building on the Missouri State Fairgrounds.

The victory inched SFCC closer to the .500 mark; they now stand at 5-7 for the season and will not see action again until Jan. 3 in Kansas City, when they take on Penn Valley Community College.

After building up a 25-15 advantage with 7:23 to go in the first half, the Roadrunners found the bucket hard to hit. Coupled with their many turnovers, they saw Trenton pull within four, 25-21, at the 5:42 marker of the opening period of play.

However, the Roadrunners' press caught hold and they rammed home ten unanswered points in the next two and one-half minutes. The spurt allowed them to carry a 37-23 lead into the dressing room at the half.

Jimmy Lassiter, the Roadrunners' highly-touted freshman guard-forward from Freedom, Pa., and Duane Kraettli, a sophomore from Hermann, Mo., spearheaded the first-half attack for Barton.

Lassiter, using his quick hands to baffle the Pirates' guards, tossed in 16 points in the opening half, while Kraettli added 10.

The second half saw State Fair blow the game wide open as they rolled to a 52-32 lead with less than three minutes gone in the period.

Again it was the press that got the Roadrunners going, however, it was Kevin Arand who led the offensive attack.

Arand, who couldn't find the range from the field in the first half, tossed in eight points in the first four minutes of play in the second half.

State Fair had mounted a 67-42 margin with 10:05 left in the game. They had another 23-point lead with 8:05 showing on the clock, 69-46.

Then the Roadrunners' play got sloppy and Trenton was able to cut SFCC's lead to only 12 points as Robert Weber converted on a three-point play with 4:22 remaining in the contest.

During tbe four-minute span, State Fair went scoreless.

Finally, Kraettli hit a field goal with just over four minutes to play.

Trenton wasn't about to give up as they closed to within 11 points, 72-61, with 2:26 left in the contest.

Trenton got within nine, 78-69, but there were only 20 seconds left in the game and State Fair was home free.

"Our press looked pretty good, I thought," said Barton after the game. "Especially in the second half when our kids started recovering underneath after Trenton got the ball across midcourt," he added.

"We were spotty offensively and defensively throughout the game, but fortunately it didn't hurt the outcome," he concluded.

Barton commented favorably on Arand's play in the second half. "He just couldn't get off the ground in the first half," Barton recalled, ". . . he took five shots from the floor and they were all off the mark. I took him out and talked to him at the half . . . he came back and gave us 13 points in the second period."

Four of the five starters Barton used hit in double figures, with Lassiter's 19 leading the way.

In addition to Lassiter and Arand, Myles Yates and Kraettli tossed in 15 each.

Scoring honors went to Raymond Byers, a St. Louis product, with 20. Fred Homan had 14, 13 of which came in the second half, while Weber and Pat Cronin added 12 each in the loss. It was only the second loss of the season for Coach Gary Garner's squad. Trenton now stands at 6-2.

Their other loss was to the University of Missouri freshmen one week ago.

"Our kids are tired," said Barton, "we've already played 12 games since opening Nov. 16 . . . that's probably more than any other JuCo in the state. Our players are ready for the Christmas break."

Barton has scheduled a practice for Dec. 29 as the Roadrunners return and prepare for their date with Penn Valley, Jan. 3.

Scoring

State Fair (80) — Lassiter 19, Kraettli 15, M. Yates 15, Arand 13, Diekmann 6, Hampton 6, Jones 4, B. Yates 2.

Trenton (69) — Byers 20, Homan 14, Cronin 12, Weber 12, Reid 8, Tilson 2, Gooch 1.

Tigers Favored

I-State, LSU Set to Meet In Saturday's Sun Bowl Tilt

EL PASO, Tex. (AP) — Charlie McClendon and Johnny Majors got together Thursday for a friendly golf match.

McClendon, the veteran Louisiana State football coach, and Majors, Iowa State's grid mentor, get together again Saturday—their teams meet in the 37th annual Sun Bowl.

Kickoff is set for 1 p.m., EST, and the game will be televised nationally by CBS.

LSU has been made a slight favorite, something that McClendon says he can't understand.

"I'd like to see the guy who is making us the favorite," said McClendon, who along with Majors took time out from a busy schedule to play golf Thursday with PGA golfer of the year, Lee Trevino. "I have great respect for Iowa State," he added.

For one thing, McClendon said, Iowa State is making its first trip to a bowl game in the school's 76th year of football.

"They certainly are going to be fired up even more than usual for this opportunity. Naturally, we're looking forward to our first appearance in the Sun Bowl, but it is just not the same as Iowa State feels," McClendon said.

This will be LSU's 17th bowl appearance, but McClendon indicated his Tigers won't be complacent.

"After seeing the game films of some of Iowa State's victories we had no problem getting up for this game. Believe me, they are a real strong team."

What has McClendon worried the most is Iowa State's backfield duo of quarterback Dean Carlson and tailback George Amundson.

"Carlson is a fine quarterback, and Amundson is a very powerful runner, and he can throw, too," McClendon said.

Carlson completed 108 of 231 passes for 1,404 yards and 8 touchdowns. But Amundson was the Cyclone's workhorse. The 6-3, 215-pound junior rushed for 1,149 yards this year and scored 14 touchdowns.

LSU counters with a solid offense centered around quarterbacks Paul Lyons and Bert Jones and tailback Arthur Cantrelle.

McClendon thinks Saturday's game will be a high-scoring affair. "Both teams have scoring power and they should be relaxed enough to put a good many points on the board."

MU at Ky. Tourney

KANSAS CITY (AP) — Undefeated Missouri leaves home for the first time this season tonight when the Tigers play seventh-ranked Kentucky in the Kentucky Invitational Basketball Tournament at Lexington.

Two other Big Eight Conference teams will be hosts in tournament action. Kansas, 2-3, meets Brigham Young, ranked No. 6, in the second half of the Jayhawk Classic at Lawrence, Kan.

Nebraska, likewise, has a second game opponent in Idaho at the Husker Classic at Lincoln, Neb.

Kansas State, boasting a three-game winning streak, opens a two-night stand at the University of Washington. Kansas State is 4-2. Washington is 4-0.

All Big Eight teams were idle Thursday night.

Missouri has won all six of its games, all at home. Kentucky has already beaten two other Big Eight clubs, Kansas State and Kansas.

Princeton and California meet in the other first round game of the Kentucky tournament.

Southern California, tied for 10th in the national rankings, faces Cincinnati in the opener of the Jayhawk Classic.

Baylor battles LaSalle in the first game of the Husker Classic.

Says Light Heavyweight Title Showdown Is Near

OKLAHOMA CITY (AP) — The issue of who should rightly wear the light heavyweight boxing crown should be settled soon — possibly within the next two months—declared Bob Foster and his manager here Thursday night after Foster had disposed of Brian Kelly with a technical knockout in the third round.

"I'm ready for Rondon," Foster beamed after the fight in which he dazzled Kelly with a flurry of punches—sending him to the canvas three times.

Foster referred to Vincente Rondon of Venezuela, who is recognized as champ by the World Boxing Association. Foster, stripped of his title by the WBA for failing to meet the then-top challenger, Bobby Dupree, is recognized in several states including New York.

Lou Viscusi, Foster's manager, was contacted after the fight and disclosed that Florida promoters are trying to arrange a bout with Rondon for sometime in late January or February.

Foster had an easy time of it Thursday night against Kelly, who was ranked No. 7 by Ring Magazine and No. 10 by the WBA. It was Foster's 39th knockout in 46 victories. He has five losses to heavyweights.

After a first round which featured little action, Foster went to work, knocking down Kelly twice in the second round then burying the challenger with a bevy of assorted punches in the third round.

Foster caught Kelly, a Cushing, Okla., youth director, with a blazing left hook that sent him down for the third time with 1:56 gone in the third round and referee Bob Earle stopped the fight.

NFL May Switch Date of Playoffs

NEW YORK (AP) — Two National Football League playoff games will be played on Christmas Day but mounting protests against the scheduling may cause the NFL to change future plans about setting games for that holiday.

The Minnesota Vikings, hosts for one of the Christmas Day games, said they had received many complaints both by phone and letter and that 5,800 of between 8,000 and 9,000 tickets offered for sale last Sunday, remain unsold.

And in Kansas City, the other Christmas Day host site, state legislator Tim Ryan said he would introduce a bill to ban any repetition of such scheduling in the future.

"More people have raised hell about the Chiefs' playoff game on Christmas Day than I've ever heard before," said Rep. Ryan. "I've heard a lot of comments like, 'if I go, my wife will divorce me.'"

The legislator said that Christmas provides a special day for families to get together and should not have to compete with football.

Mickey Parman, sports editor of the Atchison, Kan., Globe, wrote in her column, "Sports Roamer", that she objects "strongly and vehemently to pro football games played on Christmas Day."

Mrs. Parman said Christmas Day "should be spent in close family harmony, not with papa off to the football game. It should be Christmas music from records, radio or the happy voices of children — not the television blaring out how many yards to a first down."

She added that "instead of writing Santa this year — I'm writing 'Dear Hank Stram' and 'Dear Pete Rozelle' and 'Dear Anybody Else Who is Concerned': Please, please let us have Christmas Day without football."

Stram is coach of the Kansas City Chiefs.

Jim Kensil, executive director of the NFL and chief aide to Commissioner Pete Rozelle, admitted that the league had received complaints about the schedule but said, "we didn't feel we had any alternative."

Free Throws Prove Difference

Pintos End S-C's Hopes

BOONVILLE — California upset second-seeded Smith-Cotton's hopes of repeating as the Boonville Invitational Basketball Tournament champions Thursday night in a foul-riddled, 75-74 semifinal victory.

"I just can't figure it out," said S-C coach Jim Dinsdale as he pondered over his team's loss Friday morning.

"We've quit making offensive mistakes, but now we are starting to foul too much . . . I guess if it's not one thing, it's another," he added.

Fouls, of which the Bengals were charged with 24 in the game, kept the contest close all the way. California had a one-point, 16-15 lead at the end of the first period. The Pintos doubled their margin by half time, 39-37.

However, Smith-Cotton had the upper hand as the third-period buzzer sounded, 56-55.

With the Tigers ahead by three points and just over three minutes to go in the game, S-C's 6'7" junior Kim Anderson was whistled for his fifth personal foul.

That took the bulk of the Tigers' rebounding power out of the lineup. Anderson left the game with 26 points and 18 rebounds.

That left the majority of the board work for Steve Herzberg and Bob Fingland. However, both later departed via the same route as did Anderson.

California won the game at the line, sinking 23 of 33 attempts. On the other side of the ledger, S-C shot only 12 free throws in the entire game, connecting on 10 of them for a torrid 83 per cent.

"There's not much you can do when they get three times as many chances at the line," Dinsdale concluded.

California was charged with only ten team fouls in the game.

Although it was the fourth loss in five outings for the Tigers, Dinsdale was pleased with his offensive play. The Bengals connected on 46 per cent of their shots from the field in the first half and 53 per cent in the second half.

The Tigers held the edge in the overall field goals during the game, sinking 32; California hit 26.

However, the outcome of the game was shown in the free throw column.

Charles Johnson sank more free throws himself than S-C shot in the game. Johnson, who had 21 points, collected 13 from the charity stripe.

Steve Flippin topped the scoring for California with 23.

Dinsdale was highly pleased with the play of sophomore Jim Sanders, who followed Anderson in the scoring column with 16 points. "He played an excellent game coming off the bench," the S-C cage mentor noted.

Guard Don Tatman also had 16 points.

In the night's opener, Fulton routed Jefferson Helias, 87-52, to gain a consolation berth.

The tournament will end tonight with the consolation match between Moberly and Fulton at 6 p.m., scheduled as the opener. S-C will tangle with Boonville for third place at 7:30 p.m., while top-seeded Columbia Hickman will meet California for the title at 9 p.m.

Scoring

California (75) — Flippin 23, Johnson 21, Blankenship 12, Lawrence 9, Hill 5, Cook 5.

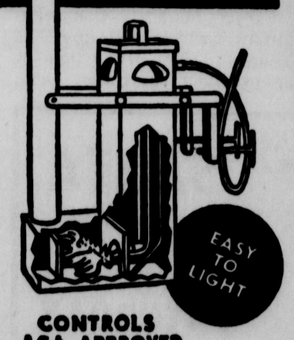
Smith-Cotton (74) — Anderson 26, Sanders 16, Tatman 16, Maple 6, Herzberg 6, Fingland 4.

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NAIA Selections

Mike Franks Heads All-America Choices

KANSAS CITY (AP) — Quarterback Mike Franks of Eastern New Mexico headed the 1971 All-America football team of the National Association of Intercollegiate Althetics today.

Franks, a senior, was the NAIA's 1971 total offense leader and the No. 1 passer.

With him the first offensive backfield are Don Heater of Montana Tech, Roberg Hudson of Northeastern Oklahoma and Larry Ras of Michigan Tech.

Center Bob Daigle of Southwest Texas State was the only junior on the offensive unit.

The other linemen are Rick Thone of Arkansas Tech and Jeff Baker of U.S. International at San Diego at the ends, Rodney Cason of Angelo, Tex., State and Bruce Nichols of Jacksonville, Ala., State at the tackles and Jerry Cook of Harding, Ark., and Solomon Frelow of Grambling at the guards.

Three players on the defensive unit are juniors, nose guard Flex Price of Alcorn A&M, linebacker Greg Wright of Troy State and safety Levi Johnson of Texas A&I.

Tom Shockley of Adams, Colo., State and Archie Robinson of Hillsdale, Mich., are the defensive halfbacks. The other linebackers are Tom Priest of West Liberty State and Nels Strickland of Livingston, Ala.

The rest of the defense includes Melvin Lundsford of Central, Ohio, and James Osborne of Southern, La., and Herschell Mosier of Northwestern Oklahoma and Steve Williams of Western Carolina, the tackles.

Chester Marcol of Hillsdale, Mich., was selected as a specialist on the defensive team, giving that unit 12 players. The NAIA Football Coaches Selection Committee named the team.

All of the players on the first team are seniors except Daigle, Price, Wright and Johnson.

The second team:

Offense

Ends — Bob Picard, Eastern Washington State, and Eldridge Small, Texas A&I; tackles — Mike Murphy, Howard Payne, and Dave Austen, Claremont-Mudd; guards — Andy Pogman, Adams State, and Louis White, Alcorn A&M; center — John Morris, Missouri Valley; quarterback—Clemit Spruiell, Livingston, Ala.; backs — Al Raines Edinboro, Pa., State; Rodney Wampler, Carson-Newman, and Jerry Austin, Angelo, Tex., State.

Defense

Ends — Mike Parks, Chadron, Neb., State, and Ken Sanders, Howard Payne; tackles — James Mendenhall, Grambling, and Tom Sworden, West Liberty State; nose guard — Perry Goodell, Arkansas Tech; linebackers—Sam Cvijanovich, California Lutheran; Ron Wilson Wofford, and Bobby Norris, Presbyterian; halfbacks — Randy Nelson, Kearney, Neb., State, and Dave Doak, Findlay, Ohio; safety — Slaylor Fox, Newberry.

National Hockey League

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NHL

East Division	W	L	T	Pts	GF	GA
New York	20	5	5	45	138	73
Montreal	18	4	6	42	107	62
Boston	20	6	2	42	118	65
Toronto	13	9	8	34	84	84
Detroit	10	15	5	25	81	99
Vancvr.	8	18	4	20	70	104
Buffalo	6	20	6	18	80	122
West Division						
Chicago	21	7	3	45	99	54
Minn.	19	8	3	41	87	55
Phila.	10	15	5	25	68	90
Calif.	10	16	5	25	93	124
Pittsburgh	10	17	4	24	79	93
St. Louis	9	17	5	23	84	102
L. Angeles	6	23	1	13	61	122

Thursday's Results
Boston 8, New York 1
Philadelphia 5, Buffalo 0
Only games scheduled

Friday's Games
Montreal at Vancouver
Detroit at California
Only games scheduled

Saturday's Games
Boston at Pittsburgh
Buffalo at Toronto
Chicago at Minnesota
New York at St. Louis
Detroit at Los Angeles
Only games scheduled

Sunday's Games
Minnesota at New York
Pittsburgh at Boston
Toronto at Philadelphia
Vancouver at Buffalo
St. Louis at Chicago
Montreal at California
Only games scheduled

Mass. Wins 12th in Row

By KEN RAPPOPORT
Associated Press Sports Writer

What can you say about a college basketball team that everyone thought had died?

"We knew we had to play harder after losing a star like Julius Erving," says Massachusetts Coach Jack Leaman, "and that's what we've been doing."

After losing their quality center to the pros this season, the Redmen have had to adjust their style to "playing more people, pressing and running more," according to Leaman.

The formula is working like a New England charm and Thursday night, the defending Yankee Conference champions turned back Manhattan 85-83 for their sixth victory this season and 12th straight regular season triumph over two years.

The contest was the first game of a doubleheader at Madison Square Garden in New York. Columbia trimmed Rutgers 76-73 in the second game.

In other games Thursday night, Fordham defeated the City College of New York 90-71; Duquesne shelled Nevada-Reno 110-77; Western Kentucky slugged Butler 91-69; Louisiana Tech toppled Auburn 107-82; Purdue spanked Miami of Ohio 85-58, and Illinois turned back Georgia 84-78.

Massachusetts, which had a 23-4 mark last season and participated in the NIT, will be hard-put to match that mark this season, according to Leaman.

"Our biggest problem is rebounding ... we don't have any," said Leaman, whose biggest board man is 6-foot-3 Al Skinner.

But the small Redmen certainly don't have an inferiority complex about it. They battled the taller Jaspers on even rebounding terms Thursday night while Skinner murdered Manhattan from the foul line.

The bouncing forward, who had a game-high 13 rebounds, scored 25 points, including 17 of 19 charity throws. John Betancourt pitched in 24 for the winners, including two key foul shots with a minute to go.

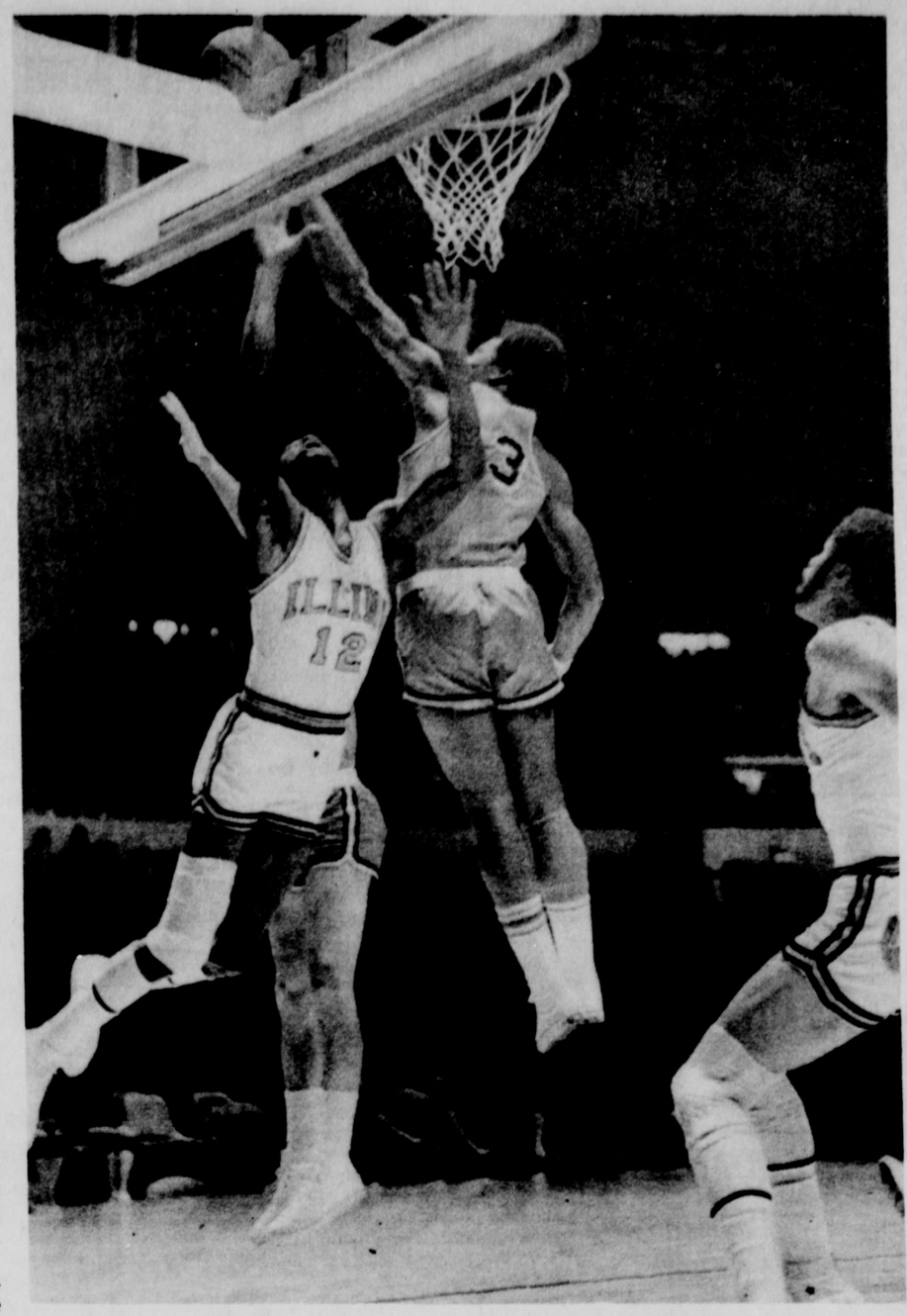
One thing the Redmen couldn't do right was seal off Rich Garner, Manhattan's hot-handed little guard who had a game-high 32 points.

Foley Jones scored five key points with less than three minutes to go as underdog Columbia held off Rutgers in the closing minutes and won its first game of the season after five losses.

Nick Weatherspoon scored 28 points and Bill Morris had 22 as unbeaten Illinois stopped Georgia. John Fraley led the losers with 25 points.

Louisiana Tech hit the 100-point mark for the fifth straight game in its victory over Auburn. Jim Jenkins had 24 points for the winners while Henry Harris paced Auburn with 17.

Sophomore Frank Kendrick's 24 points helped Purdue run away from Miami of Ohio and Lionel Billingly and Ruben Montanez combined for 59 points to lead Duquesne over Nevada-Reno.



Weatherspoon Scores Two

Nick Weatherspoon (12) goes between two Georgia players during Thursday night's non-conference battle in Champaign, Ill., to score two of his 28 points that led Illinois to an 84-78 victory over Georgia. Tim Bassett (13) is the only identifiable player defending on the play. (UPI)

National Basketball Association

By THE ASSOCIATED PRESS
NBA

EASTERN CONFERENCE — Atlantic Division	W	L	Pct.	G.B.
Boston	20	12	.625	—
New York	16	13	.552	2½
Philadelphia	14	17	.452	5½
Buffalo	12	17	.414	6½
Central Division				
Baltimore	11	18	.379	—
Cleveland	11	20	.355	1
Cincinnati	10	20	.333	1½
Atlanta	8	21	.276	3
WESTERN CONFERENCE — Midwest Division				
Milwaukee	28	4	.875	—
Chicago	20	9	.690	6½
Phoenix	17	13	.567	10
Detroit	12	18	.400	15
Pacific Division				
Los Angeles	28	3	.903	—
Seattle	20	13	.606	9
Golden St	17	15	.531	11½
Houston	10	23	.303	19
Portland	6	24	.200	21½

Thursday's Results
Detroit 107, Cincinnati 101
Golden State 113, Philadelphia 93
Only games scheduled

Friday's Games
Boston at Cleveland
Atlanta at Baltimore
Houston at Chicago
New York at Buffalo
Seattle at Milwaukee
Detroit at Phoenix
Golden State at Los Angeles
Philadelphia at Portland

Saturday's Games
Buffalo at Boston
Houston at Cincinnati
Cleveland at New York
Baltimore at Atlanta
Los Angeles at Phoenix
Portland at Seattle
Detroit vs. Golden State at Oakland
Only games scheduled

Sunday's Games
Cincinnati at Atlanta
Chicago at Cleveland
Baltimore at Milwaukee
Philadelphia at Los Angeles
Detroit at Portland
Phoenix at Seattle
Only games scheduled

American Basketball Association

ABA

East Division	W	L	Pct.	G.B.
Kentucky	21	8	.724	—
Virginia	20	13	.606	3
Pittsburgh	16	17	.485	7
Floridians	14	19	.424	9
New York	12	18	.400	9½
Carolina	11	20	.355	11
West Division				
Utah	22	9	.710	—
Indiana	18	12	.600	3½
Mempis	13	17	.433	8½
Denver	12	17	.414	9
Dallas	11	20	.355	11

Thursday's Results
Floridians 129, Pittsburgh 103
Only game scheduled

Friday's Games
Carolina at Pittsburgh
Virginia at Kentucky
Memphis at Indiana
Dallas at New York
Denver at Utah

Saturday's Games
Pittsburgh vs. Virginia at Norfolk
Indiana at Floridians
Dallas at Kentucky
Denver at Memphis
New York vs. Carolina at Charlotte

Sunday's Game
Dallas at Pittsburgh

Royals Sell Matias

KANSAS CITY (AP) — Outfielder John Matias has been sold by the Kansas City Royals to Hawaii of the Pacific Coast League. Matias, 27, played last season with the Royals' Omaha farm club.

Honor Staubach,

Marinaro Breaks Up News Meeting

PHILADELPHIA (AP) — Cornell's Ed Marinaro may have missed his calling. Instead of a football player or the hotel management executive he's studying to be, he could be a comedian.

The 215-pound Marinaro broke up the news conference called to announce his selection as the Maxwell Club's 25th annual outstanding college football player of the year. Pat Sullivan, Auburn quarterback who edged Marinaro for the Heisman trophy, was second in the Maxwell balloting.

The Maxwell Club also selected Roger Staubach, Dallas Cowboys quarterback, as recipient of its Bert Bell award as the outstanding pro player of 1971. Miami's Bob Griese was second.

Someone asked Marinaro about reaction to his blast at the Heisman Trophy Committee for selecting its outstanding player, before the season ended.

"Most of the reaction was negative from the south, so in keeping with their opinion of me I'd like to congratulate you on your choice," Marinaro said.

"I hear you're coaching the basketball team," said one wag.

"Only on game days," retorted the back who led the nation with an average of 214.7 yards per game last season.

Did he expect to carry the ball an average of 39.6 times per game the way he did for Cornell?

"You ain't seen nothing yet," responded Marinaro, adding that he wants to play pro ball and expects to be drafted in the first round of the National Football League draft.

Does he have an agent to negotiate for him with the pros?

"I've talked to Howard Cosell about representing me," said Marinaro.

"Do you have any choice for a pro team?"

"Yeh, the Bridgeport Bulls. Oh, I guess I'd like to stay in New York, but I'll be happy anywhere I go."

Which award did he think was the more important, Heisman or Maxwell?

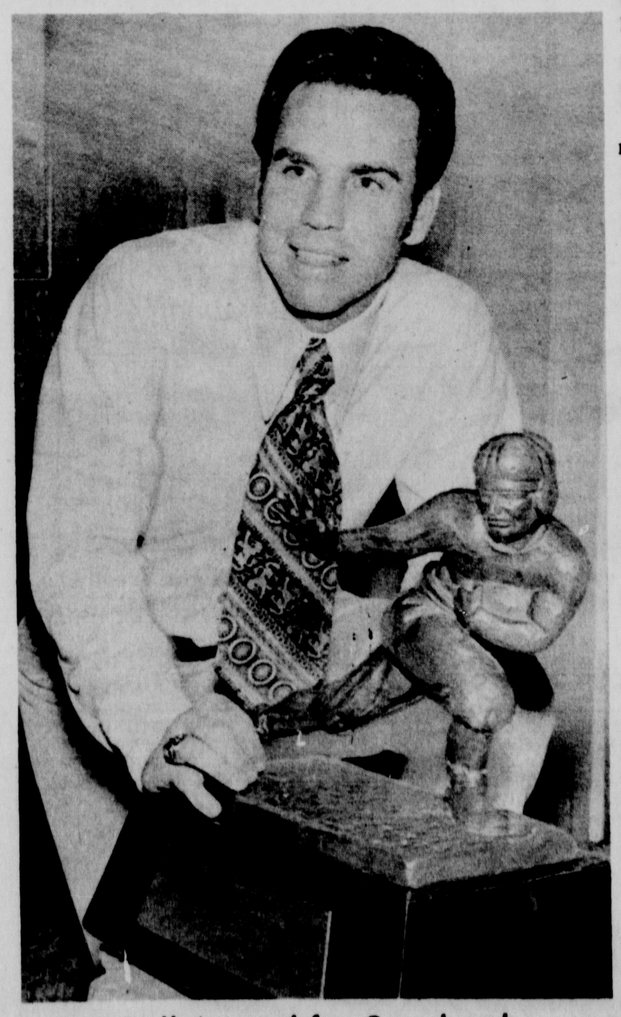
"The Maxwell, because I won it."

Was he slowed down off artificial turf?

"Nothing can slow me down."

Did he have any other observations?

"Yeh, don't misquote me."



Bell Award for Staubach

Dallas Cowboys' quarterback Roger Staubach displays his college trophy, the Heisman Trophy, to members of the press, Thursday in his home. Now he has a pro trophy to go with it ... the Bert Bell Memorial Award. It is an honor bestowed by the Maxwell Foundation of Philadelphia to a player they choose as the most outstanding in the National Football League. Staubach in being named as the winner of the Bell Award, becomes the only football player ever to win both awards. (UPI)

Gremlins-St. John's Game Is Postponed

The athletic department at Sacred Heart High School has announced that the Saturday night game scheduled between the Gremlins and St. John's High School of Kansas City has been postponed until Jan. 7.

The game will be played here on that date rather than in Kansas City.

No reason for the postponement was given.

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Says Rams Will Miss Playoffs

Pick 49ers To Take NFC's West Division

NEW YORK (AP) — San Francisco and Los Angeles both will win Sunday, but the Rams will be losers nevertheless.

That's the word from here, with the 49ers picked to beat Detroit and the Rams picked to beat Pittsburgh in season-ending games that will determine the National Conference West champion and the final berth in the playoffs.

That's how the Rams will come up losers. If the 49ers win, they're in the playoffs, no matter what Los Angeles does.

Also to be decided this weekend are the AFC and NFC East champions, although the front-runners and the runners-up in both divisions already have qualified for the playoffs. The way it looks from here Baltimore will be atop the AFC East and Dallas the NFC East, leaving Miami and Washington in the runner-up spots.

Here are all the picks, noting that last week's record was 9-4:

Dallas 41, St. Louis 17—Roger Staubach has the Cowboys' offense rolling over everyone, and the Cardinals are one of the better candidates for that kind of onslaught. The game is scheduled for Saturday and national telecasting, CBS at 4 p.m., EST.

Washington 27, Cleveland 17—A Dallas loss coupled with a Washington victory or tie against the AFC Central champions would give the Redskins the NFC East title. Larry Brown of the Redskins needs 133 yards to repeat as a 1,000-yard rusher.

San Francisco 24, Detroit 21—this could be a rough one for the 49ers with the Lions looking to maul someone after failing to make the playoffs. But San Francisco should be able to get the job done on the ground behind Ken Willard and Vic Washington.

Los Angeles 27, Pittsburgh 20—The Rams may be down after their loss to the Redskins Monday night, but they know they have to win to maintain a shot at the title and the playoff berth. Figure Roman Gabriel for a better performance than against Washington.

Baltimore 27, New England 14—Defending Super Bowl champion Colts shooting to clinch AFC East title after beating Miami to take over lead. Patriots wouldn't appear to offer too much opposition, although Jim Plunkett has proved he can be dangerous.

Miami 24, Green Bay 10—Packers have John Brockington and not much else. The Dolphins still can take AFC East title if they win and Colts lose. Either way, they'll be out to win.

Minnesota 28, Chicago 7—It shouldn't be forgotten that the Bears beat the Vikings the first time they met. But it doesn't figure to happen again.

Kansas City 42, Buffalo 14—An opportunity for the Chiefs in general, and the Len Dawson to Otis Taylor passing combination in particular, to warm up for postseason action.

Oakland 24, Denver 20—The Raiders have to be down after being eliminated from playoff contention, but they are the stronger team and Broncos' only weapon is Floyd Little.

Atlanta 27, New Orleans 24—Archie Manning may return at quarterback for the Saints, but the Falcons have the NFC's top-rated pass defense.

New York Jets 24, Cincinnati 17—Joe Namath and running back John Riggins should provide enough offense to give the Jets the nod over the Bengals.

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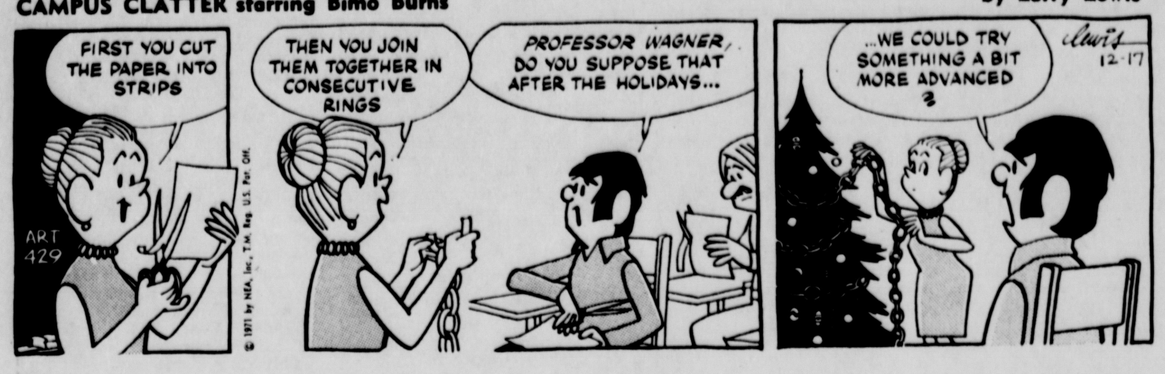
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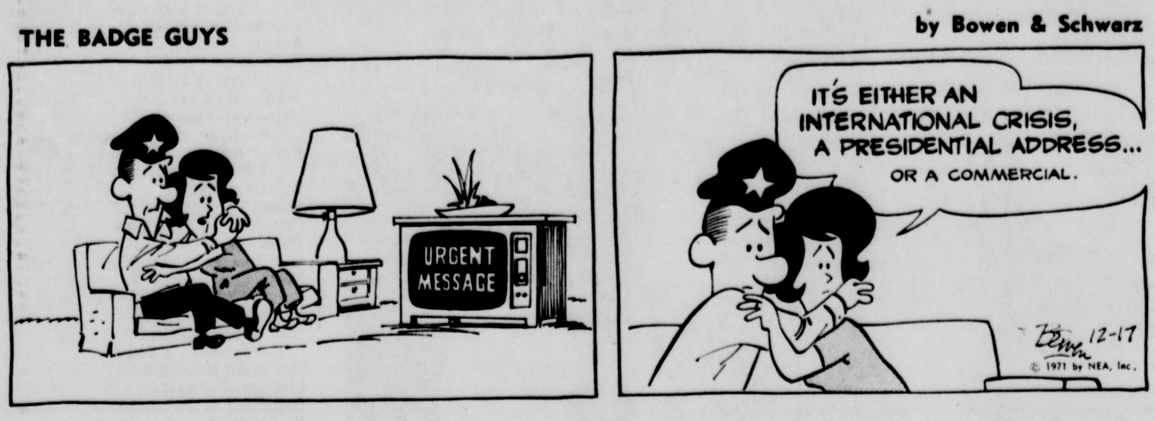
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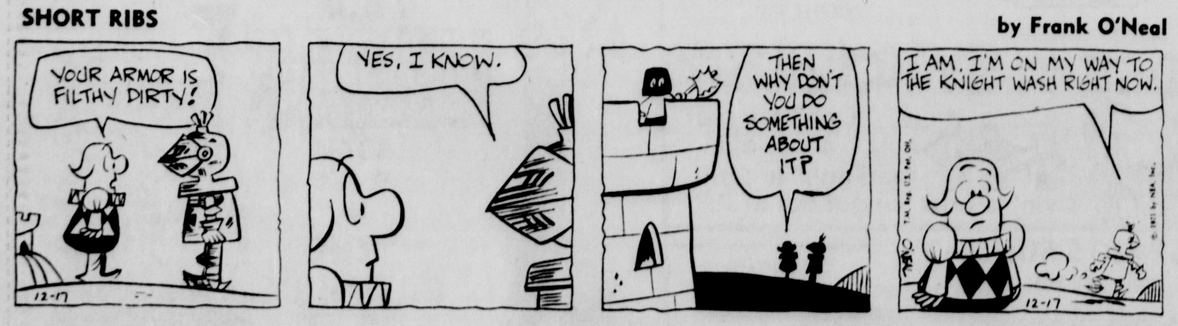
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By Oswald & James Jacoby

Today's hand or a similar one will be found in every book on play and in all bridge columns.

South finds himself in a comfortable three no-trump contract. He puts his ace of spades on East's queen. If he is in a hurry he leads his jack of clubs and tries a finesse. East grabs his king and leads a spade and South is one down before he can say, "Jack Robinson."

He will probably complain about bad luck and point out that with both finesses right he could have made all 13 tricks. He will remark, "Finesses never work for me."

If the game were duplicate it would turn out that they didn't work at any other table, but that the other declarers had made their contracts.

If South stops to think about the hand he will see that he can't afford to let East gain the lead and that he can collect nine tricks without setting up clubs.

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Then he will lead a heart to dummy and play the jack of diamonds.

West will take his king and may try to run spades in which case South will score his jack. If West leads a club South will go up with dummy's ace and settle for making exactly three no-trump.

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♥♣CARD Sense♠♦

The bidding has been:

West	North	East	South
		1 ♥	Dble
Pass	1 ♠	Pass	2 ♥
Pass	3 ♠	Pass	?

You, South, hold:

♠ A Q 4 ♥ K 6 ♦ A Q 10 8 5 ♣ K 10 9

What do you do now?

A—Bid four spades. Your partner only responded one spade to your double.

TODAY'S QUESTION

Instead of jumping to three spades, your partner has jumped to four spades over your two hearts. What do you do now?

Answer Tomorrow

PRISCILLA'S POP

by Al Vermeer



Thankfulness

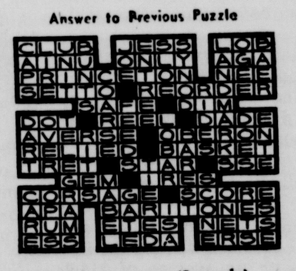
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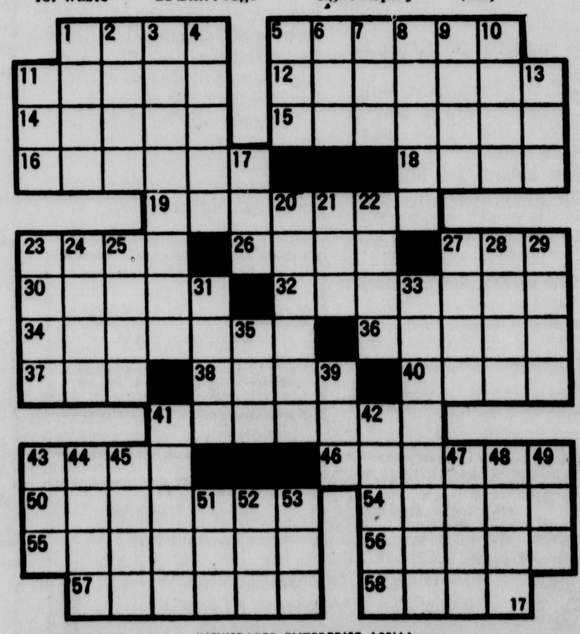
1 Adoration
5 Unquestioning beliefs
11 Greek epic poet
12 Violent attack
14 Muse of poetry
15 Atomic energy control
16 Simplest
18 Adherents (suffix)
19 Practical person
23 Parent (coll.)
26 Stay
27 Pedal digit
30 African antelope
32 14-line poems
34 Small sail above gaff
36 Car damage
37 Conjunctions (Latin)
38 Allowance for waste
40 Oklahoma Indian (var.)
41 Double reed instrument
43 Ripped
46 Reckless spender
50 Sent out
54 Military maneuver
55 Renew
56 Eskimo house
57 Need not (contr.)
58 Snows (Scot.)

DOWN

1 Learning
2 Persian name
3 Ex-soldiers
4 Irregular
5 Distant
6 Peer Gynt's mother
7 Isaiah (ab.)
8 Silent
9 Hovels
10 Aperture
11 Skirt edge
13 Transfers (ab.)
17 Flap
20 Kind of thread (pl.)
21 Artificial language
22 Dispatch
23 Allot
24 A great deal (2 words)
25 Charts
27 Temporary shelter
28 Boy's name
29 Being (Latin)
31 Facts
33 Commercial light display
(2 words)
35 Tax bureau (init.)
39 Pull behind
41 Girl's nickname
42 Fertile spot in desert
43 Territory (ab.)
44 Sign
45 Get up
47 Tissue (anat.)
48 Conceits
49 Passe car
51 Bushy clump
52 Sea eagle
53 Detachment (ab.)

Answer to Previous Puzzle





(NEWSPAPER ENTERPRISE ASSN.)

FUNNY BUSINESS

By Roger Bollen







SIDE GLANCES

by Gill Fox



"Granted, they haven't raised their prices . . . but meatloaf UNDER GLASS?"

OUT OUR WAY

by Neg Cochran



CARNIVAL

by Dick Turner



"Well, no, I wouldn't call him 'out of sight' exactly . . . but try me again in about 15 minutes!"

OUR BOARDING HOUSE

with Major Hoople



Klassen Choice Dream Realized

WASHINGTON (AP) — When his boss asked him, at age 16, what he aspired to, Elmer Theodore (Ted) Klassen replied:

"I want your job in a year's time."

Recalling that moment 47 years ago, the new Postmaster General of the United States added: "He was surprised, but a year later I got his job."

For Klassen, chosen last week to head the U.S. Postal Service, that advancement was only the first in a career that rivals the best of Horatio Alger stories.

Born in the prairie village of Hillsboro, Kans., in 1908, Klassen went with his parents to California at the age of 6. At 12, he went to work.

At the age of 16, he took a job as office boy in the San Francisco office of the American Can Co., and left the firm 40 years later as its president, chief operating officer and director.

It was not until his 44th year that Klassen found time to explore higher education. When he did, he did it in style—advanced management training at the Harvard School of Business.

All of this has left Klassen with a deep respect for the system that brought him success. "There are many opportunities like this in America today," he said in an Associated Press interview.

Klassen's selection by the Postal Board of Governors last week must have been another source of satisfaction. For two years, he had, by all accounts, done yeoman service in the shadow of the outspoken Winton M. Blount, who resigned two months ago to assess his chances in next year's Senate race in Alabama.

Now, although he does not officially take the Postal Service's top spot until Jan. 1, Klassen is already beginning to look at home in the high-ceilinged, wood-paneled office that is the Postmaster General's.

Klassen is the first Postmaster General not appointed by the President.

The postal reform legislation that took effect last July established the Postal Service as an independent government authority and removed the Postmaster General from the President's Cabinet.

To Klassen, who was Blount's deputy from 1969 to 1970 before becoming a member of the policy-setting board of governors, the step seemed essential to bringing order to the massive postal system.

"People around here used to say 'I've survived six or seven Postmaster Generals, I can survive this one,'" he said. "That's a dangerous attitude, both for employes and management."



Beat It, I'm Tired

Santa Walter Blocher takes a break from his duties to enjoy the unseasonably warm breezes in New York Thursday. Although Christmas is fast approaching, the temperatures were in the mid-60's in New York by noon, the highest reading for Dec. 16 in 80 years. (UPI)

Prisoner Reveals Life With Chinese

PHILADELPHIA (AP) — Mary Ann Harbert, the pert, 25-year-old secretary held by the Communist Chinese for 3½ years, says life in China's countryside was not too unpleasant after the first year of captivity.

Miss Harbert said Thursday that she lived in a small farmhouse in a rural commune, raised pets and had a vegetable garden.

To pass the time Miss Harbert played badminton, Ping Pong, cards and chess with Chinese who brought her food and who could speak some English.

She said she was never held in a prison.

"There was usually a guard with a submachine gun and bayonet, ready at any time, but it wasn't necessary," said the 97-pound woman. "I could hardly overpower him."

Wearing a blue and white miniskirted dress and her brown hair hung loosely around her neck, Miss Harbert related her story at a news conference.

Taken at gunpoint from a friend's sailboat off the China coast in mid-1968, Miss Harbert was freed Monday along with 44-year-old Richard G. Fecteau of Lynn, Mass. She and Fecteau, an Army civilian employe who was a prisoner of the Chinese for more than 19 years, crossed the border into Hong Kong.

Miss Harbert said she was captured while sailing from Hong Kong to Manila with Gerald Ross McLaughlin, formerly of Palo Alto. The Chinese said McLaughlin committed suicide in 1969 while in detention.

"We had no intention of trespassing into Chinese waters," Miss Harbert said. "We thought we were sailing a legal course. The Chinese who captured us said we had intruded. We were outnumbered, so we agreed it was possible we were in. It was also possible we were not. We didn't know."

Miss Harbert said she and McLaughlin were held in the same house—she upstairs and he downstairs—for the first nine months. She said she never saw him after that.

She also said she was never charged with a crime or brought to trial and denied spying for the United States.

Once, she said, she was threatened with jail unless she made anti-American statements.

"I refused," Miss Harbert said. "I said I was not going to. They finally accepted this."

Pettis Chapter No. 279, O.E.S., will hold a public installation of officers on Saturday evening, Dec. 18, at 8:00 p.m. in the Masonic Temple, 601 West Broadway. All members and guests are cordially invited.

Jessie Carson, W.M.
Margaret Gwinn, Sec'y.

Granite Lodge # 272 A.F.&A.M. will meet in stated communication Friday, Dec. 17th, at 7:30 P.M., Masonic Temple, Broadway and Missouri. Annual election of officers. Visiting brethren always welcome.

Robert W. Taylor, W.M.
Lloyd C. Kennon, Sec'y.

The Sedalia Scottish Rite Club will hold a breakfast meeting Saturday, Dec. 18th at 7:30 A.M. at the State Fair Restaurant. All Scottish Rite members are urged to attend. Ray Cissna from Kansas City will be with us. Please, everyone attend.

John St. Clair, Pres.
Bruce McCully, Sec'y.

Pettis County Post No. 16 American Legion and the Ladies Auxiliary will hold their annual Christmas Party on Monday December 20, 1971, at the Legion Hall, 16th St. and Thompson Blvd. Covered dish dinner at 6:30 P.M. Turkey furnished. $1.00 gift exchange. Bring your guests. A special invitation to all Viet Nam Veterans and their families.

J.M. Fulks, Comdr.
L.V. Morris Adj.

Sedalia Council No. 831, Knights of Columbus, will have its annual Christmas party for children and grandchildren of members at the K of C Hall, 4th & Lamine on Sunday, December 19th at 2:00 o'clock P.M. Santa will bring favors for the children. Entertainment will be provided. Parents and grandparents are welcome, too. Regular meeting of the members will be held on Monday, December 20th, at 8:00 P.M. All members welcome and urged to attend.

Donald R. Brown, G.K.
Derald Barnard, F.S.

WANT ADS GET RESULTS.

NOTICE OF HEARING ON SALE OF REAL PROPERTY

STATE OF MISSOURI,
COUNTY OF PETTIS, ss
IN THE PROBATE COURT OF PETTIS COUNTY, MISSOURI

To all persons interested in the estate of Maude Katherine Batchelder, deceased. Estate No. 14489.

Pursuant to the order of the aforesaid court, entered on December 9, 1971, you are hereby notified that on the 17th day of January, 1972, at 10 o'clock A.M., in the courtroom of said court in the city of Sedalia, Missouri, a hearing will be had to determine if the right, title and interest of said decedent in and to the following described real property, to-wit:

The Southwest Quarter of the Northeast Quarter and the North Half of the Northwest Quarter of the Southeast Quarter of Section 33, Township 47, Range 22 in Pettis County, Missouri,

shall be sold for the payment of claims allowed against the estate, expenses of administration including court costs, and inheritance taxes.

Dated this 13th day of December, 1971.

Lloyd R. Farris, Administrator

4X—12-17,24,31,1-7.

NOTICE OF FILING OF FINAL SETTLEMENT AND PETITION FOR DISTRIBUTION

STATE OF MISSOURI
COUNTY OF PETTIS—ss.
IN THE PROBATE COURT OF PETTIS COUNTY, MISSOURI AT SEDALIA

In the estate of JEWELL HARTER THOMAS, deceased. Estate No. 14,509

To all persons interested in the estate of JEWELL HARTER THOMAS, deceased.

Notice is hereby given that a final settlement and petition for determination of the persons who are the successors in interest to the personal and real property of the decedent and of the extent and character of their interest therein and for distribution of such property, will be filed in the Probate Court of Pettis County, Missouri, by the undersigned on the 28th day of December, 1971, or as continued by the Court, and that any objections or exceptions to such settlement or petition or any item thereof must be in writing and filed within ten days after the filing of such settlement.

James Morris Thomas, Executor
1857 Glencrest
Springfield, Missouri

John C. McCloskey, Attorney at Law
309 East Fifth Street
Sedalia, Missouri 65301
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NOTICE OF FILING OF FINAL SETTLEMENT AND PETITION FOR DISTRIBUTION

STATE OF MISSOURI,
COUNTY OF PETTIS, ss
IN THE PROBATE COURT OF PETTIS COUNTY, MISSOURI AT SEDALIA

In the estate of GRACIE BOZARTH, deceased. Estate No. 14,512

TO ALL PERSONS INTERESTED IN THE ESTATE OF GRACIE BOZARTH, deceased.

Notice is hereby given that a final settlement and petition for determination of the persons who are the successors in interest to the personal and real property of the decedent and of the extent and character of their interests therein and for distribution of such property, will be filed in the Probate Court of Pettis County, Missouri, by the undersigned on the 10th day of January, 1972, or as continued by the court, and that any objections or exceptions to such settlement or petition or any item thereof must be in writing and filed within ten days after the filing of such settlement.

Stella Wasson, Executrix
123 East Saline
Sedalia, Mo.

Durley & Keating
110 East Fifth
Sedalia, Mo.
Telephone Number: 826-8112
4X: 12-10, 12-17, 12-24, 12-31.

NOTICE OF LETTERS TESTAMENTARY GRANTED

STATE OF MISSOURI
COUNTY OF PETTIS—ss.
IN THE PROBATE COURT OF PETTIS COUNTY, MISSOURI
In the Estate of KATE HOWE, Deceased.
Estate No. 14,597

To all persons interested in the estate of Kate Howe, decedent:

On the 14th day of December, 1971, the last Will of Kate Howe was admitted to probate and Thomas T. Keating was appointed the executor of the estate of Kate Howe decedent, by the probate court of Pettis County, Missouri, on the 14th day of December, 1971. The business address of the executor is 110 East 5th St., Sedalia, Missouri, whose telephone number is 826-8112 and the attorneys are: Durley and Keating whose business address is 110 East 5th St., Sedalia, Missouri, and whose telephone number is 826-8112.

All creditors of said decedent are notified to file claims in court within six months from the date of this notice or be forever barred.

All persons interested are notified that such court, at the times and as provided by law, will determine the persons who are the successors in interest to the personal and real property of the decedent and of the extent and character of their interests therein.

LEO J. HARNED, Probate Judge
By: Ila Rymer, Clerk
Probate Court of Pettis County, Missouri
(SEAL)
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NOTICE OF LETTERS TESTAMENTARY GRANTED

STATE OF MISSOURI
COUNTY OF PETTIS, ss.
IN THE PROBATE COURT OF PETTIS COUNTY, MISSOURI
In the Estate of MARY LEE CUSTER, Deceased. Estate No. 14,570

To all persons interested in the estate of Mary Lee Custer, decedent:

On the 8th day of November, 1971, the last Will of Mary Lee Custer was admitted to probate and Margaret V. Rogers was appointed the executrix of the estate of Mary Lee Custer, decedent, by the probate court of Pettis County, Missouri, on the 2nd day of December, 1971. The business address of the executrix is Route 2, Bunceton, Missouri, whose telephone number is 366-4387 (Otterville) and the attorney is Hampton Tisdale whose business address is Kemper State Bank Bldg., Boonville, Missouri, and whose telephone number is 882-6611.

All creditors of said decedent are notified to file claims in court within six months from the date of this notice or be forever barred.

All persons interested are notified that such court, at the times and as provided by law, will determine the persons who are the successors in interest to the personal and real property of the decedent and of the extent and character of their interests therein.

LEO J. HARNED, Probate Judge
By: Ila Rymer, Clerk
Probate Court of Pettis County, Missouri
(SEAL)
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NOTICE OF LETTERS TESTAMENTARY GRANTED

STATE OF MISSOURI
COUNTY OF PETTIS—ss.
IN THE PROBATE COURT OF PETTIS COUNTY, MISSOURI
In the Estate of JAMES E. PITTMAN, Deceased.
Estate No. 14,592

To all persons interested in the estate of James E. Pittman, decedent:

On the 15th day of December, 1971, the last Will of James E. Pittman was admitted to probate and Mary S. Pittman was appointed the executrix of the estate of James E. Pittman decedent, by the probate court of Pettis County, Missouri, on the 15th day of December, 1971. The business address of the executrix is 2008 So. Harrison, Sedalia, Missouri, and the attorneys are: Durley and Keating whose business address is 110 East 5th St., Sedalia, Missouri, and whose telephone number is 826-8112.

All creditors of said decedent are notified to file claims in court within six months from the date of this notice or be forever barred.

All persons interested are notified that such court, at the times and as provided by law, will determine the persons who are the successors in interest to the personal and real property of the decedent and of the extent and character of their interests therein.

LEO J. HARNED, Probate Judge
By: Ila Rymer, Clerk
Probate Court of Pettis County, Missouri
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Business Mirror

Devaluation Is Key To Monetary Crisis

NEW YORK (AP) — It is said to be so important, and yet, the immediate impact on most Americans is nil. And still it is important, so much so that it may have helped avert a collapse of trade and a worldwide recession.

Is this a mystery shrouded in a paradox? Does the understanding to devalue the dollar in relation to gold matter or does it not? Is it important? Or not?

The answer involves no mystery. The matter has many angles and you have to view them one by one. Perspective is important.

True, to the ordinary American there will be almost no immediate effect. There will be no sudden change in prices, wages or buying power. If he is preoccupied with making his paycheck cover the bills, he will be just as preoccupied after devaluation—no more nor less so.

For the extraordinary American, the person who freely travels abroad, uses imported foods and wines and drives foreign cars there will be an impact. But not very much.

There is a simple explanation for this. The dollar used to be pegged to gold at $35 an ounce. Other currencies determined their relative value in relation to the dollar. Gold at $35 an ounce was the keystone of the structure.

On Aug. 15 the United States removed the keystone, leaving no fixed, unchanging value on which to base currency ratios. Instead, said the United States, let market conditions determine how really valuable each currency is.

Immediately the prices of major foreign currencies began moving up in relation to the dollar. They had been undervalued, meaning that their goods were selling relatively cheaply in the United States and U.S. goods cost more abroad.

To enforce its wishes that currencies be revalued in relation to the dollar, the United States imposed a 10 per cent surcharge on foreign goods entering the United States, thus depriving them of their market advantage.

Since the changes in currency value have already taken place — aided by that 10 per cent surcharge which now may be removed—the formal devaluation of the dollar is mainly psychological.

It means this: We have muscled other powers into facing reality. We have forced them to change currency values, much to their distress and competitive disadvantage. Now we have agreed to meet them part way, about two steps to their eight. A matter of pride? Gallic pride mainly.

Once the keystone had been removed there was still another reason for the trading nations to reach a new agreement on currency ratios. Otherwise, it was feared that chaos might have resulted in international trade.

The U.S.-French understanding to devalue the dollar may have helped resolve a stalemate in reaching a new monetary agreement, and that, it can be argued, might be the difference between economic health and worldwide recession.

It means little. It means everything.

Car-Truck Crash Fatal For Man

CHILLICOTHE, Mo. (AP) — David E. Spears, 53, of Kansas City, Kan., was killed late Thursday night in the collision of his car and a semi-trailer truck.

The accident occurred on U.S. highway 36 in Livingston County at the Grand River bridge.

Investigating officers said Spears' vehicle crossed over the centerline and struck the truck headon. Both vehicles plunged off the roadway.

Indian Art Proves Functional

NEW YORK (AP) — An important exhibit of "Two Hundred Years of North American Indian Art," now at the Whitney Museum of American Art, emphasizes the esthetic values of the Red Man's culture.

In the past, most exhibitions of Indian art have been centered around the ethnographic features of this subject—from prehistoric origins to the social, economic and religious systems of the various tribes.

Although it is true that the Indians thought in functional terms—not wasting their talents on a wall painting or a sculpture on a pedestal—they turned their creative efforts toward the enrichment of functional items. That is what this show is about.

Its geographical scope is everything north of the Mexican border. With a few exceptions, the more than 300 art objects, derived from 57 tribes, were created in the 18th and 19th centuries.

There are ceremonial masks; highly decorated drums, war clubs and war shields; elaborately worked buckskin shirts and head-dresses; painted curtains, totems and house posts; carved chests, pipes and bowls and knives; dolls, combs carved from bone and other useful items cut from stone, ivory and horn.

One interesting aspect of the show is a series of Eskimo masks, demonstrating the elements of visual distortion that also are found in the African masks which so excited the French School at the beginning of this century; perhaps if Picasso and his friends had seen these Eskimo objects they would have been just as excited.

The exhibit was organized by a visiting curator, Norman Feder, curator of American Indian and Native Arts and the Denver Art Museum. He was assisted by Louis Mofsie, a Hopi-Winnebago Indian, an art teacher in Meadowbrook, L.I., N.Y., and Ida Luman Isaacs, a Taos-San Juan Indian of Taos, N.M.

It will be on display through Jan. 9, and was made possible through a public service grant from Philip Morris, Inc. The lenders include 33 museums and 14 private collections, including several sources in Canada, Scotland, England, Switzerland, Germany and Denmark.

In assembling the art objects Feder chose to give special attention to the works of the Plains and the Woodland Indians, feeling that the public is pretty well acquainted with prehistoric themes and the artistic efforts of the Indians of the Northwest and Southwest.

In his introduction to the exhibition catalogue Feder said he had tried to select objects that "anyone can relate to." His idea was that the public will be introduced to "many forms of Indian art that it was not aware of and undoubtedly will be intrigued by its beauty and variety."

He added that contemporary American Indians "will find something they can relate to, for all of the pieces included derive from historic tribal groups, and not from unidentified prehistoric areas."

Virtually all the objects in the show lack attribution to an individual artist, for obvious reasons, but there are three head-dresses attributed to Charles Edenshaw (1839-1924) of the Haida tribe.

Art Is Involved in Masonry Work

By VIVIAN BROWN
AP Newsfeatures

Few do-it-yourselfers do good masonry, says a long time mason, who often is called on to patch up amateur jobs.

It takes years to know the tricks of the trade, and it may even become a dying art unless young men take the work more seriously.

"Even if a man has masonry in his blood, he might learn to get along in the business only after he has apprenticed about four years. In another four years, he might be pretty good," points out Pat di Michele of South Norwalk, Conn. "But there are masons who can't do a good job after 30 years in the business."

If a do-it-yourselfer wants to do patch work, he might succeed, but skilled labor may be far cheaper if one considers the necessary investment in tools, and the probability that the job may not turn out right. It isn't as easy as making mud pies.

People often question the cost of a small masonry job, but a mason must bring almost as many tools for a $100 job as he uses for a larger job, Pat explained as he unloaded levels, trowels, hose, floats, broom, rakes, wheelbarrow, mixing trough. Son Patsy, 16, a junior helper, and mason tender Joe Ross, 20, removed the bags of sand, stone and cement to prepare for a small job that Pat predicted would have his "personal guarantee."

He learned masonry from his father, who emigrated from Italy in 1912, and worked for 40 years.

"I can do Flemish Bond, double and triple; English Bond, American Bond and Common Bond," Pat explains proudly, ticking off the types of brick work used in walks involving the spacing of stretchers and headers. He does herringbone walks and enjoys doing fireplaces. He also works with acrylics. Twenty-eight years in the business has provided him with lots of knowledge, such as how to speed up a job, something only the experienced can attempt.

Young boys no longer are interested in becoming apprentices, he says. He has offered to teach his older son to build brick chimneys in the backyard until the technique was mastered and he could go on to fireplaces and other precise work, "but nothing has happened," he says.

"The young fellows would rather carry pails at $20 a day than to learn the finer details of masonry that would eventually pay well."

In mixing mortar, he uses 3 parts sand, 1 part cement and ½ part lime, but it is the amount of water used that gets the goo to the proper muddy consistency that means "the mortar job will last 50 years." Maybe more.

"You can't make a mistake. If an electrician, carpenter or plumber does something wrong, he can correct it by pulling out the wire, board or pipe that may be causing trouble. But when the mason's job hardens, he can't correct it unless he uses a jackhammer."

In order to make a yard of wet concrete, you need about 1½ yards of the dry aggregate. The cost is the same when the cement mixer brings it and mixes it. But for small jobs, men must mix it.

Predicting Operation Shakeup

WASHINGTON (AP) — A presidential commission is likely to call for a shakeup of government bank-supervisory agencies and recommend that savings and loan associations be allowed to offer checking accounts.

These are among a long list of recommendations contained in a draft circulating among members of the Presidential Commission on Financial Structures and Regulations. The Associated Press obtained a copy.

While the final report has not been approved by the commission, sources said only changes in details are expected before the formal recommendations are made, probably next month.

National banks now are supervised by the comptroller of the currency; state banks which belong to the Federal Reserve System by its board; other state banks by the states and, if their deposits are federally insured, by the Federal Deposit Insurance Corp.

The draft report recommends a new agency, the office of the administrator of state banks, to examine and supervise state-chartered, insured banks. The office also would supervise those savings and loan associations that acquired a substantial checking-account business.

It recommends that the office of the comptroller of the currency be renamed office of the national bank administrator and established as an independent agency outside the Treasury Department.

Still another new agency, the federal deposit guarantee administration, would take over for existing agencies that insure deposits in banks, savings and loan associations and credit unions.

The draft recommends that all state banks and state savings and loan associations that offer checking accounts be required to join the Federal Reserve System.

And it recommends a wide expansion of powers and functions for savings and loan associations and the somewhat similar mutual savings banks chartered in some states.

Bowling Scores

Domestic Exec

Team	Won	Lost
Cover Const. Co.	40	20
Empress Room	38	22
Guy's Nuts & Chips	32	28
Merle Norman	29½	30½
I.G.A.	28½	31½
Trojan Seeds	27½	32½
Downs-Williams	27	33
American Family Ins.	17½	42½

High Team 30: Empress Room 2303; 2nd I.G.A. 2259. High Team 10: Empress Room 811; 2nd Empress Room 783.

Women's High 30: Carol Monsees 530; 2nd Betty Schaberg 505. Women's High 10: Pat Weir 190; 2nd Carol Monsees 187.

Goofers

Team	Won	Lost
Broadway Lanes	49	11
Adco, Inc.	39½	20½
LaMonte Com. Bank	37	23
KMOS TV	21½	38½
Sedalia Water Dept.	22	38
Burger-Chef	10	50

High Team 30: Broadway Lanes 2513; 2nd Adco 2429. High Team 10: Broadway Lanes 925; 2nd Adco 823.

Women's High 30: L. Miller 564; 2nd M. Whitfield 505. Women's High 20: L. Miller 226; 2nd S. Barnes 210.

Broadway Majors

Team	Won	Lost
Whitaker Co.	42½	17½
Dicks Trophies	39	21
Herricks "66"	36	24
Hamm's Inn	35	25
State Farm Ins.	35	25
Budweiser Beer	32	28
Klassic Mfg. Co.	31	29
Highland Gardens	21½	38½
Tallman Co.	19	41
Schlitz Beer	9	51

High Team 30: Klassic 3015; 2nd Hamm's Inn 2985. High Team 10: Klassic 1044; 2nd Dicks Trophies 1041.

Men's High 30: Gene Schwab 600; 2nd "Bones" Harvey 592. Men's High 10: G. Schwab 277; 2nd Tom Delph 211.

Business Men

Team	Won	Lost
Main St. Bar	39	21
S&M Sporting Goods	37	23
K.C. Star	36	24
Wells Painting	35	25
Moose Ramblers	31	29
J&M Enterprises	30	30
Larrys Drywall	19	41
Eberting Vending Co.	18	42

High Team 30: K.C. Star 2890; 2nd J&M Enterprises 2775. High Team 10: K.C. Star 996; 2nd Wells Painting 959.

Men's High 30: "Dish" Washington 633; 2nd Bobby Brown 535. Men's High 10: "Dish" Washington 232; 2nd (tie) B. Brown and D. Washington 214.



Elaborate Display

J. E. Holem of Franklin, Mo., shares his holiday spirit with people from all over the mid-Missouri area who travel to the small railroad town to enjoy his $7,000 Christmas display. A camera lens screen produced the sparkled effect. (UPI)

WANT AD RATES AND INFORMATION

	1 Day	3 Days	6 Days
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Cards of thanks 60¢ per line per day.

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NOTICE OF FILING OF FINAL SETTLEMENT AND PETITION FOR DISTRIBUTION

STATE OF MISSOURI,
COUNTY OF PETTIS, ss.
IN THE PROBATE COURT OF PETTIS COUNTY, MISSOURI AT SEDALIA

In the estate of IDA DAVIS EDWARDS, deceased. Estate No. 13,561.

To all persons interested in the estate of Ida Davis Edwards, deceased.

Notice is hereby given that a final settlement and petition for determination of the persons who are the successors in interest to the personal and real property of the decedent and of the extent and character of their interests therein and for distribution of such property, will be filed in the Probate Court of Pettis County, Missouri by the undersigned on the 18th day of January, 1972 or as continued by the court, and that any objections or exceptions to such settlement or petition or any item thereof must be in writing and filed within ten days after the filing of such settlement.

Lawrence Barnett, Administrator DBN
118 West 5th Street,
Sedalia, Missouri 65301
Telephone Number: 826-5428

Lawrence Barnett, Attorney
118 West 5th Street
Sedalia, Missouri
Telephone Number 826-5428
4X—12-17,24,31,1-7.

NOTICE OF APPOINTMENT OF GUARDIAN

STATE OF MISSOURI,
COUNTY OF PETTIS—ss
IN THE PROBATE COURT OF PETTIS COUNTY, MISSOURI
Estate No. 14,580

In the estate of ROGER M. RENFROW, Incompetent

To all persons interested in the estate of Roger M. Renfrow, Incompetent:

On the 15th day of December, 1971, Ruth Renfrow was appointed guardian of the person and estate of Roger M. Renfrow, a person adjudicated incompetent under the laws of Missouri, by the Probate Court of Pettis County, Missouri. The business address of the guardian is 1615 So. Warren, Sedalia, Missouri, and her attorney is Henry C. Salveter, whose address is 3rd National Bank Bld., Sedalia, Missouri, and whose telephone number is 826-0611.

All creditors of said incompetent are notified to file their claims in the Probate Court within nine months from the date of first publication of this notice or be forever barred.

LEO J. HARNED, Probate Judge
By: Ila Rymer, Clerk
Probate Court of Pettis County, Missouri
(SEAL)
4X—12-17, 24, 31, 1-7.

NOTICE OF LETTERS TESTAMENTARY GRANTED

STATE OF MISSOURI
COUNTY OF PETTIS—ss.
IN THE PROBATE COURT OF PETTIS COUNTY, MISSOURI

In the estate of GRACE E. SPENCER, deceased.

Estate No. 14,582

To all persons interested in the estate of Grace E. Spencer, decedent:

On the 17th day of November, 1971, the last Will of Grace E. Spencer was admitted to probate and Eleanor Davison Hamilton was appointed the executrix of the estate of Grace E. Spencer, decedent, by the probate court of Pettis County, Missouri, on the 17th day of November, 1971. The business address of the executrix is Green Top Farm, Richmond, Missouri, whose telephone number is 776-3567 and the attorney is Henry C. Salveter whose business address is Third National Bank Bldg., Sedalia, Missouri, and whose telephone number is 826-0611.

All creditors of said decedent are notified to file claims in court within six months from the date of this notice or be forever barred.

All persons interested are notified that such court, at the times and as provided by law, will determine the persons who are the successors in interest to the personal and real property of the decedent and of the extent and character of their interests therein.

LEO J. HARNED, Probate Judge
By: Ila Rymer, Clerk
Probate Court of Pettis County, Missouri
4X—11-26,12-3,10,17

NOTICE OF LETTERS OF ADMINISTRATION GRANTED

STATE OF MISSOURI
COUNTY OF PETTIS—ss.
IN THE PROBATE COURT OF PETTIS COUNTY, MISSOURI

In the estate of CLYDE B. NICEWARNER, Deceased.

Estate No. 14,587

To all persons interested in the estate of Clyde B. Nicewarner, decedent:

On the 30th day of November, 1971 Delia M. Nicewarner was appointed the administratrix of the estate of Clyde B. Nicewarner, decedent, by the Probate Court of Pettis County, Missouri. The business address of the administratrix is 1317 South Park, Sedalia, Missouri, whose telephone number is 826-3793 and the attorney is Donald Barnes, whose business address is 118 West 5th St., Sedalia, Missouri, and whose telephone number is 826-5428.

All creditors of said decedent are notified to file claims in court within six months from the date of this notice or be forever barred.

All persons interested are notified that such court, at the times and as provided by law, will determine the persons who are the successors in interest to the personal and real property of the decedent and of the extent and character of their interests therein.

LEO J. HARNED
Probate Judge
By: Ila Rymer, Clerk
Probate Court of Pettis County, Missouri
(SEAL)
4x—12-3,12-10,12-17,12-24

NOTICE OF FILING OF FINAL SETTLEMENT AND PETITION FOR DISTRIBUTION

STATE OF MISSOURI,
COUNTY OF PETTIS, ss.
IN THE PROBATE COURT OF PETTIS COUNTY, MISSOURI AT SEDALIA

In the estate of CHARLES M. CARLIN, deceased. Estate No. 14294.

To all persons interested in the estate of Charles M. Carlin, deceased.

Notice is hereby given that a final settlement and petition for determination of the persons who are the successors in interest to the personal and real property of the decedent and of the extent and character of their interests therein and for distribution of such property, will be filed in the Probate Court of Pettis County, Missouri by the undersigned on the 10th day of January, 1972 or as continued by the court and that any objections must be in writing and filed within ten days after the filing of such settlement.

Carolyn McGowan, Administrator
7300 Ash
Raytown, Missouri 64133
Telephone Number: 816-356-8179

Robert L. Wesner, Attorney
406½ South Ohio Street
Sedalia, Missouri 65301
Telephone Number: 827-0314
4x—12-10,17,24,31.

NOTICE OF FILING OF FINAL SETTLEMENT AND PETITION FOR DISTRIBUTION

STATE OF MISSOURI
COUNTY OF PETTIS, ss
IN THE PROBATE COURT OF PETTIS COUNTY, MISSOURI AT SEDALIA

In the Estate of THOMAS M. STEVENS, deceased, Estate No. 14506.

To all persons interested in the estate of Thomas M. Stevens, deceased.

Notice is hereby given that a final settlement and petition for determination of the persons who are the successors in interest to the personal and real property of the decedent and of the extent and character of their interests therein and for distribution of such property, will be filed in the Probate Court of Pettis County, Missouri by the undersigned on the 3rd day of January, 1972 or as continued by the court and that any objections must be in writing and filed within ten days after the filing of such settlement.

B. N. Trout, Administrator
1111 South Massachusetts
Sedalia, Missouri
Telephone Number826-7944

Robert L. Wesner, Attorney
406½ South Ohio Street
Sedalia, Missouri
Telephone Number: 827-0314
4x—12-3,10,17,24

NOTICE OF FILING OF FINAL SETTLEMENT AND PETITION FOR DISTRIBUTION

STATE OF MISSOURI,
COUNTY OF PETTIS, ss.
IN THE PROBATE COURT OF PETTIS COUNTY, MISSOURI AT SEDALIA

In the estate of JESSIE BOWSER COLLINS, deceased. Estate No. 14,501.

To all persons interested in the estate of Jessie Bowser Collins, deceased.

Notice is hereby given that a final settlement and petition for determination of the persons who are the successors in interest to the personal and real property of the decedent and of the extent and character of their interests therein and for distribution of such property, will be filed in the Probate Court of Pettis County, Missouri by the undersigned on the 10th day of January, 1972 or as continued by the court, and that any objections or exceptions to such settlement or petition or any item thereof must be in writing and filed within ten days after the filing of such settlement.

Mary Kay Wade, Administratrix WWA
Lot 145, Shaky Lake Estates
Columbia, Missouri

Durley & Keating, Attorneys
110 East Fifth
Sedalia, Missouri 65301
Telephone Number 826-8112
4x—12-10,17,24,31.

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

THE ZONING BOARD OF ADJUSTMENT Of The City of Sedalia, Missouri, will hold a public hearing in the Council Chambers of the City Hall on Friday, December 17, 1971 at 7:30 p.m. for the purpose of considering the application of Web & Sons, Inc., owner seeking relief from that part of Ordinance No. 6741 relating to "set back from the front property line," on the following described land:

West 160 feet of block 7 of Fair View Place in the city of Sedalia, Pettis County, Missouri. (North-east corner of 16th Street and State Fair Blvd.)

Dated at Sedalia, Missouri, this 14th day of December, 1971.

THE ZONING BOARD OF ADJUSTMENT
Of The City of Sedalia, Missouri
By Frank Dowdy, Chairman

ATTEST:
Ralph Dedrick
City Clerk
3X—12-15, 16, 17.

7—Personals

FOR HEALTH'S SAKE! Rent an exerciser, Vibrator belts, barrel rollers, bicycles and Gentle Gyms. U.S. Rents It, 530 East 5th.

MOTHER NEVER KNEW ABOUT shampooing carpet without water. Rent Racine Machine. Keele Carpet, 826-2002.

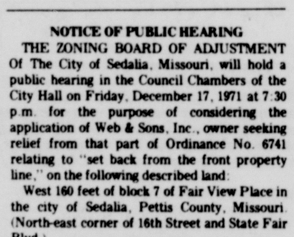
WANTED GUNS, JEWELRY, tools, radios, televisions, anything of value. Osage Thrift Shop. Main and Osage.

KINDER UPHOLSTERY larger selection of fabric, vinyls. Estimates, pick up and deliveries. Houstonia Missouri 568-3376.

CUT YOUR OWN Christmas Tree. All sizes $2.00 Each. Saw furnished. Phone 668-3230.

PICK UP YOUR free 1972 calendar now at U. S. Rents It, 530 East 5th Street, Sedalia.

BUY AN OPTIMIST TREE



2 LOTS TO SERVE YOU
WESTERN AUTO PARKING LOT
BROADWAY & LIMIT
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7C—Rummage Sales

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Antiques, gifts, novelties, furniture, new clothing & shoes.
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RUMMAGE SALES



Ladies — Phone in your Rummage or Garage Sale ads by 4 PM the DAY BEFORE it is to appear in the paper. Sunday ads must be in by 4 PM on Friday.
Phone 826-1000

7-D—Attractions

MEAT SHOOT 10:30 a.m. every Sunday, rain or shine. 22 rifle, pistol (indoor range), splatter board, trap, crazy quail, and quail walk. Bob's South Highway 65, Sedalia.

MEAT SHOOT SUNDAY, DEC. 19, 1971 10:30 A.M.
½ mile South on Ingram turn left
½ mile on Goodwill Chapel Road

10—Strayed, Lost, Stolen

$100 REWARD for return of green tool box containing None Better, Pro and Allied tools. Most marked with initials W.U. or B.A. Burger Chef lot. Call 417-532-2824 collect.

STRAYED NEAR Houstonia, German Shepherd, named "Duke." Red collar and flea collar, 568-3503. Reward.

LOST: TOY WHITE POODLE in vicinity of Horace Mann School. Please call 826-7521. Reward.

11—Automobiles For Sale

1965 PONTIAC Bonneville convertible. 1965 Ford, 9 passenger wagon. 1965 Plymouth, 4 door. 1964 Plymouth, 2 door hardtop, 3 speed. 1964 Chevrolet Impala, 4 door. Choice $500. Other Cars. Phillips Motors, Highway 50, Dresden. 826-1459.

1966 FORD MUSTANG convertible, 289 high performance, Cruisematic, good condition, reasonable. Call 827-2403 after 4 p.m.

1970 CHEVROLET Impala, fully equipped, will sell to highest bidder before Tuesday. See at El Leon Motel on East 50.

1967 FORD WAGON, power, air. Filer Queen vacuum, like new. Save half. New guarantee. 826-1493.

1967 OLDSMOBILE 88, 4 door, full power, air conditioned, excellent condition, make offer, 827-0060.

1965 MUSTANG FASTBACK, sell or trade for Citizens Band Radio equipment. 826-9263.

1964 FORD, 289, one owner, clean, automatic, best offer and new tires. 1809 South Osage.

1968 CHEVROLET Impala, 2-door hardtop, V-8, automatic, air, steering, $1,495. 527-3465.

HIGHEST PRICES FOR junk cars and scrap iron. We pick up. Bud's Salvage, 826-1900.

1969 BUICK LeSABRE 4 door, hardtop, steering, brakes, air, low miles. 1502 East 12th, 826-8134.

1953 CHEVY School Bus, made into camper. Excellent condition. Call 826-9375 after 6 p.m.

1963 FORD Sport Coupe, just overhauled, $75. Also free kittens. Call 826-4894 after 4 p.m.

WILL BUY YOUR USED car or truck. Farier Auto Sales, 2118 East Broadway.

1971 FORD GT Torino, 2 dr. ht., 6,000 mi., fact. air, P.S., P.B., loaded, privately owned, trades considered, bank will finance. See at 1009 East Broadway.

11—Automobiles For Sale

1967 FORD, 2 dr. HT, ... $995
1961 FORD FALCON, ... $125
1964 CHEVY, convertible . . . $250
1966 CHEVY, 4 dr. Sedan . . . $695
1961 CHEVY, Corvair van . . . $250
All have been inspected
And Other Cars
OLLISON USED CARS
2809 East 12th
826-4077 826-4089

69 Dodge Polara coupe, . . . $1795
69 Plymouth Fury III, 4 dr. . . $1695
68 VW Beetle, red. $1095
66 Chrysler wagon, 9 pass. . . $1095
67 VW Beetle, blue. $895
66 Plymouth coupe $795
66 Ford, 4 dr. Galaxie 500. . . $695
63 Chevy, 4 dr. $395
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2600 W. Broadway
826-2652

1970 OPEL RALLYE, 2 dr. hardtop, 18,000 actual miles. . $1495
1969 MERCURY COUGAR, 2 door hardtop, 1 local owner. Loaded, with stereo. . . . $1995
1967 FORD GALAXIE 500, 4 door sedan, full power & factory air, sharp $995
1968 Camaro, 2 door hardtop $1495
1957 Chevrolet, 2 door, 6 cylinder, automatic, 45,000 original miles. Must see to appreciate.
1963 Plymouth Signet, 2 door hardtop. Real Nice $495

1965 MERCURY, 4 door HT.
1965 PLYMOUTH Fury III.
Your choice for $595. All cars with factory air & power steering.
SHERMAN MEYER
Ph: 826-0700 Southern Hills

11-A—Mobile Homes

WOULD YOU BELIEVE? ABSOLUTELY NO CASH DOWN?
1. Free Delivery
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3. Sales tax financed
4. Down payment financed
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Hwy. 65 South, Sedalia, Mo.
Tel. 816-826-9560
East Hwy. 50, Knob Noster, Mo
Tel. 816-563-3855

11F—Campers for Sale

JUST ARRIVED NEW 1972 16-foot, Fully self-contained Travel Trailer. See it now at U.S. Rents It. 530 East 5th Street, Sedalia, 826-2003.

11-G—Campers for Rent

CLEAN LATE MODEL travel trailers, wheel camper and pick-up campers for rent, make reservations now. U.S. Rents It, 530 E. 5th, Sedalia, Missouri, 826-2003.

12—Auto Trucks For Sale

FOR SALE: 1968 FORD Ranger pickup with Ranger package, ½ ton, V-8, extra clean. Best offer over $1600 takes. See at Rigby's Western Store, Lincoln, Mo. 547-3372.

1963 FORD ½ TON custom pickup, rough motor. See at 828 West 6th.

1968 FORD 1 Ton truck. Also 1968 Lincoln 200 amp welder. 826-8030.

13—Auto Accessories, Tires, Parts

SNOW TIRES for economy cars, 12 and 13 inch, at Mid-Mo Datsun, 3400 South 65 Highway, Sedalia, Mo.

15—Motorcycles and Bicycles

1967 HONDA 50 with 2 helmets, excellent condition, $100. Call 827-2217.

16-A—Repairing

TRUCK & TRACTOR REPAIR SERVICE
Gasoline and Diesel
Qualified Mechanics
HOWARD TRUCK & EQUIPMENT
3110 W. Broadway, Sedalia
826-3571

18—Business Services Offered

WELL DRILLER, LLOYD DEUSCHLE — 826-2559. New wells drilled, old wells repaired. Pumps, financing. Satisfaction guaranteed.

SEPTIC TANK CLEANING, work guaranteed. E. A. Esser, Route 2, Sedalia. Telephone 826-8622 or 826-9997.

ELECTRIC MOTOR REPAIRS. All makes. Work guaranteed. Cole and Cooper Electric. 218 South Kentucky.

WE BUY AND PICK UP junk cars, $5 and up. Call 826-3039.

18—Business Services Offered

SLIP COVERS, UPHOLSTERING, caning, draperies, restyling. John Miller's Upholstering. 613 South Engineer. No phone service.

19—Building and Contracting

HOME IMPROVEMENTS — Carpenter work, siding, roofing, painting, concrete work. Reasonable, Roy Keele, 826-8759.

HOME IMPROVEMENTS. Carpentry. Roofing. Painting. Siding. Cement work. George Hudson. Call 826-2981.

25—Moving, Trucking, Storage

SMITHTON STOCKYARDS open Mondays. Pick up any amount. Elmer or Paul Bass, Florence. Phone EM 8-2528.

26-A—Painting, Decorating

PAINTING AND DECORATING, inside and out. Paper steaming, tile flooring, odd jobs. Charles Hamby, 826-5234.

PAINTING AND DECORATING, interior and exterior. Furniture refinishing. Charles L. Vansell. Phone 826-9224.

32—Help Wanted—Female

WAITRESS WANTED, one part-time, one full time. Apply in person after 1 p.m. Missouri Bowl, 105 South Missouri.

WANTED EXPERIENCED waitress, must apply in person. Beverly's Restaurant, 1705 West Broadway.

DISHWASHER, 6 a.m.-2 p.m. shift. Prefer mature person. Nu-Way Cafe, 826-9730.

WAITRESS WANTED: Apply in person, Coffee Pot, 112 South Osage.

33—Help Wanted—Male

BUILDING MATERIALS Salesman for local area. Car furnished. Salary plus retirement, hospitalization benefits. Experience preferred but not necessary. Send resume to Box 998 care Democrat.

33A—Salesmen Wanted

CAREER OPPORTUNITY, Mutual of Omaha and United of Omaha. Call 827-1804. Equal Opportunity Employer. 24 hour recording service.

34—Help Wanted—Male and Female

ATTENTION BOOKKEEPING machine operator, experienced only. Neat accurate work essential, excellent position, attractive office. Give complete background, full particulars and salary expected. Box 999 Sedalia Democrat.

WANTED: FARM COUPLES, living quarters furnished. Also, part time help for women. Apply in person. Rose-A-Linda Turkey Farm, 463-7281.

36—Situations Wanted—Female

BABYSITTING WANTED in your home. Evenings, weekends, references. 826-5759, days. 826-2471 after 5 p.m.

BABYSITTING in my home, experienced, references. Close to Rival and Hospital, 800 East 14th. 827-1832.

BABYSITTING WANTED in my home. Reliable. Experienced. Southwest location. 827-1625.

TYPING AND Bookkeeping in my home. Call after 5 p.m. 827-0837.

38—Business Opportunities

IMMEDIATE BUSINESS OPPORTUNITY AVAILABLE
AS A DX LESSEE

Sun Oil Company, the industry leader in expansion, has an immediate opportunity for an OUTSTANDING MAN as a DX LESSEE. Our qualifications are high . . . but so are the rewards. As a DX Lessee, the Sun Oil Co. offers you the following important benefits:

- Paid Training Program
- Attractive Station
- Personal On-the-Job Assistance
- Ideal Location
- Multi-million dollar advertising

Call Now—Phone 826-9952 or 826-3760

40—Money to Loan—Mortgages

DREAMING OF A GREEN CHRISTMAS THRIFTY FINANCE

47—Dogs, Cats, Other Pets

DEL-JO KENNELS, pet grooming, bathing and boarding, Free pickup and delivery in Sedalia. Call 826-2086.

SMALL BREED PUPPIES, ideal children's pets, $10 each. Call 668-4584 after 8 p.m.

CHRISTMAS AKC POODLE puppies. Will hold until Christmas. 6 weeks to 3½ months. Call 826-4925.

TOY MANCHESTER and Fox Terrier puppies for sale. Will hold until Christmas. Call 826-2794.

PUPPIES, ½ POODLE, 6 weeks old. Ideal Christmas gifts, $10. Call 827-0511.

PUREBRED GERMAN Shepherd puppies, no papers, $15. Call 826-9043.

BLACK WIRE Terrier pups, $5. Call 827-1957.

47—Dogs, Cats, Other Pets

REGISTERED POINTER Bird Dog pups for sale. Warhoop's Jake bloodlines. Will hold until Christmas. Oliver Caton, Otterville. Phone 366-4891.

SUSIE'S POODLE SHOP. Professional Grooming. Personal care. Monday through Friday. Poodle puppies for sale. 827-2064.

SCHNAUZER MINIATURE AKC, male, female, 4 months, reasonable. Ann Burkhart, Route 2, Windsor. 647-5766.

AKC REGISTERED WHITE Toy Poodle puppies, males only. Call Reeta Leffelman, 527-3407.

FOR SALE: TOY POODLE puppies, 6 weeks old, wormed, reasonable, 827-0879.

NORWEGIAN ELKHOUNDS



8 Weeks, a silver-gray, energetic, bold, medium size breed Should see to appreciate.
Cook's Kennels
40th & Marshall

48—Horses, Cattle, Other Stock

YORKSHIRE BOARS and gilts, purebred breeding age, 4½ miles southwest Ionia. Phone 285-3369 John Ficken.

YOUR CHOICE PUREBRED Hampshire yearlings, boars $75, gilts $50. Albert Tucker, call 826-3363 after 6 pm.

HAMPSHIRE OR POLAND china boars, gilts. Top testing station records. R. D. Kahrs, 343-5656, Smithton.

WANTED TO BUY: Calves, yearlings, or cows and calves. By private individual. 826-9093, 826-9393, 827-2919.

PUREBRED HAMPSHIRE boars and gilts. East Highway 50 at City Limits. Walter Bohlken, 826-7767.

PALOMINO GELDING, 6-year-old, broke gentle, $100. Also, new saddle and bridle, $75. 826-9955.

SURE IT TAKES MONEY to make money. See Production Credit Association for your farm loan.

PUREBRED HAMPSHIRE boars ready for service. Joe Bill Reid, Houstonia 568-3404.

WANTED: MILK COW, Guernsey or Brown Swiss, gentle, call 826-1615.

51—Articles for Sale

IF CARPETS LOOK dull and drear, remove the spots as they appear with Blue Lustre. Rent electric shampooer, $1. Coast to Coast Store.

BARBIE AND KEN Doll Clothes. 50 cents, 75 cents, and $1.00 per outfit. Call 826-2396. 1515 Driftwood.

GIRL'S 20 INCH Stingray bike, Unusual boy's bike. Conn Trumpet, case, excellent condition, $120. 826-5487.

CHRISTMAS SUGGESTIONS, 1001 Items at Close-out Prices. See at Carl's, 218 East 3rd.

USED CAR PARTS, tires $2 and wheels $2. Bud's Salvage, Main and Mill, 826-1900.

GOOD USED COLOR and black and white TV's. All models. The Radio Shop, 100 South Ohio.

CEDAR AND WALNUT bowls handmade. Some formals, like new. 2429 Greenwood Lane.

51—Articles for Sale

FOR SALE: CLOTHESLINE poles, pipe and ankle. McCown Brothers Salvage, 1400 North Grand. 826-4012.

USED VACUUM CLEANERS and will repair all small appliances. Turner Appliance, 116 East Main, 826-2606.

COOK'S — Corner of 16th and Missouri. For antique and unique gifts. Also, collector's items. 827-2032.

DRUM SET. Also, electric Fender guitar, excellent condition, like new. Call 826-1122 after 5 p.m.

PORTABLE AIR compressor, regulator and 25 foot of hose, $75. Call 826-5687 or 827-1365.

GOOD USED kitchen range and portable dishwasher. Call 826-6831.

DANISH MODERN sofa and chair, brown and orange, $35. 827-1070.

WOOD FOR SALE: Stove and fireplace. 826-2043 after 5:30 p.m.

SHAG CARPET for sale, 52 yards. Bargain! Call 826-4273.

1,000 BTU air-conditioner, $50. Must sell. 347-5653.

FOR SALE: Fireplace and stove wood, round and split. 298-3274.

NEW FURNITURE FOR SALE AT DISCOUNT PRICES
This furniture has been on display in Modular Homes at Gene Chaplin Mobile Home Sales, Highway 50, West & Main Street. 827-0234.

CARPET SALE
Bigelow - 30 rolls
Regular, $8.95 Sq. Yd.
SALE PRICE $4.95 Sq. Yd.
Discontinued group of No. 1 quality carpet.
JET FURNITURE WAREHOUSE
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9 A.M. - 5:30 P.M. Daily,
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Monday thru Saturday

51-C—Antiques

DEPRESSION GLASS collection, approximately 250 pieces, all or separate, all patterns. 2210 South Missouri.

52—Boats and Accessories

MERCURY SALES and Service. Mark Twain, Tom Sawyer, Richline boats. Coffman Marina, South 65. 826-3900.

Santa Says...

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TV Programs for the Week of Dec. 19, 1971

Television Highlights

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Dec. 19, Sunday

ABC—"Directions:" The recreation of the Biblical story of the Nativity, filmed in the Holy Land and in Rome.

Dec. 20, Monday

ABC—"Terror in Northern Ireland:" News special looks at the conflict in Northern Ireland.

Dec. 21, Tuesday

ABC—"A Christmas Carol:" Animated version of the Charles Dickens classic. Sir Michael Redgrave narrates.

Dec. 22, Wednesday

CBS—"The Carol Burnett Show:" Miss Burnett's guests are Tim Conway and The Carpenters.

Dec. 23, Thursday

NBC — "The Glip Wilson Show:" Wilson's guests are Melba Moore, Jimmy Osmond, Marty Feldman.

Dec. 24, Friday

ABC—"The Odd Couple:" After turning down the role of Scrooge in a Felix-directed play, Oscar kicks Felix out of the apartment.

Dec. 25, Saturday

CBS—"The NFL Today:" NFL divisional playoff.

NBC—"AFC:" AFC divisional playoff game.

SUNDAY

MORNING

6:00 3 Faith for Today
6:30 3 Sacred Heart Program
6:45 3 Davey and Goliath
7:00 3 Tom and Jerry
4 Across the Fence
5 This Is The Life
11 Faith for Today
7:30 3 Groovie Goolies
5 Davey and Goliath
11 Songs of Faith
7:45 5 World of Wonder
7:55 9 Call to Worship
8:00 3 Echoes From Calvary
4 Oral Roberts
5 Tom and Jerry
6-13 Revival Fires
9 The Answer
11 Rex Humbard
8:30 3 Herald of Truth
4 Rex Humbard
5 Groovie Goolies
6-13 Oral Roberts
9 Insight
9:00 3 Let the Bible Speak
5 Your Church and Mine
6-11-13 Old Time Gospel Hour
9 Dragon and Mr. Toad
9:30 3 Blue Ridge Quartet
4 Dr. Jerry Falwell
5 Public Eye
9 Doubledeckers
10:00 3 Day of Discovery
5 Camera Three
6-13 Rex Humbard
9 Bullwinkle
11 Roller Derby
10:30 3 The Answer
4 Faces of Religion
5 Face The Nation
9 Make a Wish
11:00 3 First Baptist Church
4 Perspective
5 Run For Your Life
6-8-13 This Is The Life
9 NBC Story
11 Wrestling
11:30 4-8 Meet the Press
6-13 NFL Today
9 Christmas Day
10(41) Calvary Temple Show

AFTERNOON

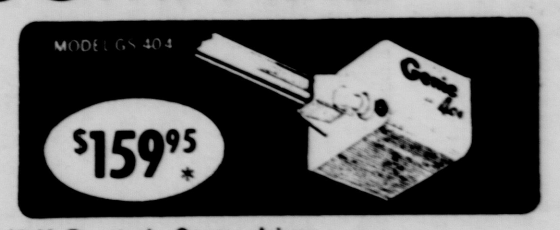
12:00 3 Oil But For One Day
4 Feedback
5 Wake Up Santa
6-13 NFL Football: Philadelphia vs N. Y. Giants
8 The Answer
9 Kansas City Hour
11 John Wayne Theatre
12:30 3 Big Picture
4 Grigby's Pregame
8 Day of Discvoery
9 Issues and Answers
10(41) Target
1:00 3-8 AFC Football: Buffalo vs Kansas City

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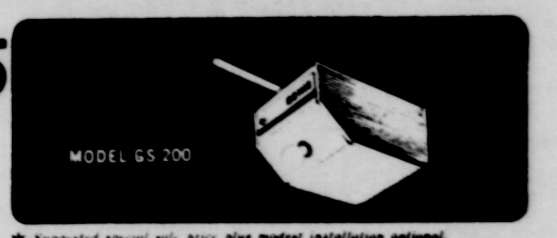


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FRIDAY
Continued

8:30 9 Odd Couple
9:00 9 Love American Style
11 Perry Mason
9:30 3 The D.A.
4 Partners
5 CBS News Special
8 Dragnet
10(41) NFL Game of the Week
10:00 3-4-5-6-8-9-13 News
10(41) One Step Beyond
11 Peyton Place
10:30 3 TBA
5-8-11 Movie
6-13 And Many Shall Rejoice
4-8 The Heart of Christmas
10(41) Dick Cavett
11:00 3 Midnight Mass
4-8 Christmas Eve Mass
6-13 Christmas Eve Service
12:00 4 Yule-Log Concert (All Night)
8 News
12:05 8 Movie
12:30 9 The Untouchables
12:55 5 News
1:00 5 Christmas Eve Services from True Light Lutheran Church

SATURDAY

MORNING
6:00 3 Drury College
5 Mid America Farm Report
6:30 3 Children's Gospel Hour
5 Sunrise Semester
7:00 3-4-8 Dr. Doolittle
5-6-13 Bugs Bunny
9 Farm Hour
11 Modern Almanac
7:30 3-4-8 Woody Woodpecker
5-6-13 Scooby Doo, Where Are You?
9 Road Runner
11 Herald of Truth
7:56 5-6-13 In the News
8:00 3-4-8 Deputy Dawg
5-6-13 Harlem Globetrotters
9 Funny Phantom
11 Samson
8:26 5-6-13 In the News
8:30 3-4-8 Pink Panther
5-6-13 Helps...It's The Hair Bear Bunch
9 Jackson Five
11 Cool McCool
8:56 5-6-13 In the News
9:00 3-4-8 Barrier Reef
5-6-13 Pebbles and Bam Bam
9 Bewitched
11 Roller Derby
9:26 5-6-13 In The News
9:30 3-4-8 Take A Giant Step
5-6-13 Archie's Fun House
9 Lidsville
9:56 5-6-13 In the News
10:00 5-6-13 Sabrina
9 Curiosity Shop
11 Leave It to Beaver
10:26 5-6-13 In the News
10:30 3-8 The Bugaloos
4 Christmas Day Service
5-6-13 Josie and the Pussycats
8 Here Comes the Grump
11 Blondie Theater
10:56 5-6-13 In the News
11:00 3 Mr. Wizard
5-6-13 The Monkees
8 This Week in Pro Football
9 Johnny Quest
11:26 5-6-13 In the News
11:30 3-4-8 Jetsons
5-6-13 You Are There
9 Action Theatre
10(41) Lancelot

AFTERNOON
12:00 3 Bowling
4 Tree House Club
5-6-13 NFC Football Playoffs
8 Pro Football
10(41) Roy Rogers
11 Bogart Theatre
12:30 4 Roller Derby
10(41) Country Music Revue
8 Movie
9 Laramie
10(41) Roller Game
1:30 4 Bowling
2:00 9 Untamed World
10(41) Wrestling
11 Bowery Boys
2:30 4 Grigby's Pregame
8 College
9 Movie
2:45 8 Soil Conservation
3:00 3-8 AFC Playoffs
10(41) Sportscope
3:30 10(41) John Wayne Western
11 Big Valley
4:00 9 Wide World of Sports
4:30 5 Wild Kingdom
6-13 Bill Anderson Show
10(41) Country Music Revue
11 Gilligan's Island
5:00 5 Lassie
6-13 World of Sports
11 Leave It To Beaver
5:30 3-5-6-8-13 News
9 This Is The Life
10(41) Pro Football
11 I Love Lucy

EVENING
6:00 3-5 News
4 Hee Haw
6-9-13 Lawrence Welk
9 Missouri Forum
11 Dick Van Dyke
6:30 3 Porter Wagoner
4-10(41) Movie
5 Andy Griffith
8 Quest For Adventure
11 Christmas With The King Family
7:00 3-8 Partners
5-6-13 All In The Family
9 Getting Together
7:30 3-8 The Good Life
5-6-13 Mary Tyler Moore
9 Movie
11 Lawrence Welk
8:00 3-4-8-10(41) Movie
5-6-13 Dick Van Dyke
8:30 5-6-13 Arnie
11 Mitch Miller Christmas Special
9:00 5-6-13 Mission: Impossible
9 Persuaders
9:30 11 Cleophus Robinson Christmas Show
10:00 3-4-5-6-8-9-13 News
10(41) Movie
11 The Angel Sang
10:15 6-8-13 Movie
10:30 3 Nashville Music
4-5-9 Movie
11 Christmas In St. Louis
11:00 3 Movie
11:30 8-11 Wrestling
12:00 6-13 News
12:30 5-8-11 News
9 Movie
12:35 5 Movie

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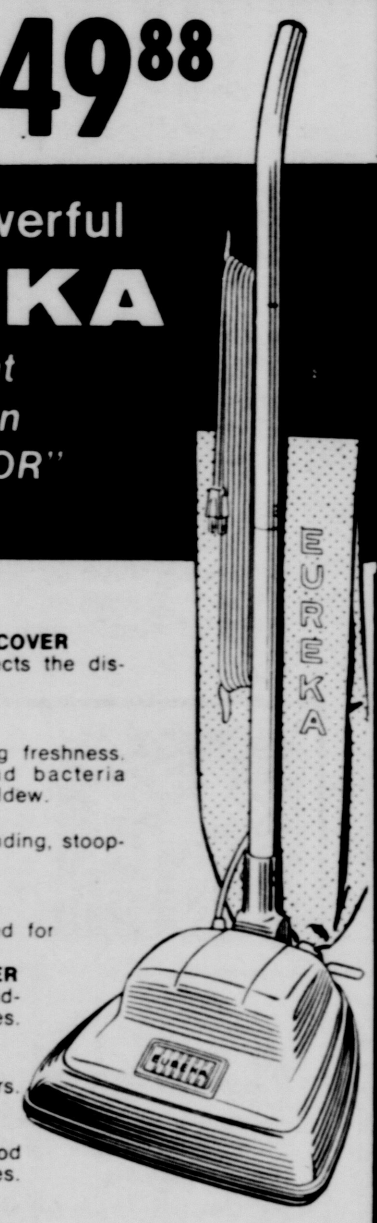
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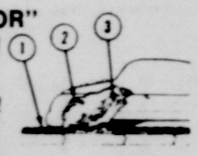
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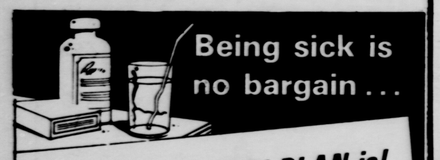
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SUNDAY
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5 Wild Kingdom
9 Movie
10(41) Kathryn Kuhlman
1:30 5 Lassie
10(41) Revival Fires
2:00 5 Sports Challenge
10(41) Roller Game of the Week
11 Charlie Chan Theatre
2:30 5 NFL Today
3:00 5-6-13 Pro Football: Detroit at San Francisco
8 Black and Decker Film
9 Ghost and Mrs. Muir
10(41) Wrestling
3:15 8 Movie
3:30 9 Untamed World
11 I Spy
4:00 3 Physicians Mutual of Omaha

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SUNDAY
P.M.
1:00 9 "The Fabulous Texan"
3:15 8 "Street of Chance"
4:00 4 "Three Secrets"
10(41) "War Paint"
6:30 5-6-13 "The Homecoming"
8:00 9 "Synanon"
10(41) "The Miracle"
10:30 6-13 "The Steel Jungle"
9 "Strictly Dishonorable"
10(41) "Missing Guest"
10:45 5 "Master of Ballantrade"
11:00 11 "Alice In Wonderland"

MONDAY
P.M.
8:00 3-4-8 "The Ceremony"
10(41) "The Organizer"
10:30 5 "Has Anybody Seen My Gal"
10(41) "The Assassin"
11 "Black Eagle of Santa Fe"
11:15 9 "Omar Khayyam"
A.M.
12:20 5 "The Moon's Our Home"

TUESDAY
P.M.
10:30 5 "Out of Sight"
8 "Son of Monte Cristo"
9 "When In Rome"
11 "Won't It Ever Be Morning" and "The Easter Breach"
A.M.
12:20 5 "Miss Tutlock's Millions"

WEDNESDAY
P.M.
7:30 3-4-8 "Encounter With Aries"
8:00 9 "No Time For Sergeants"
10:30 5 "Curtain Call At Cactus Creek"
10(41) "The Pure Hell Of"
11 "The Emperor Waltz"
A.M.
12:20 5 "Incendiary Blonde"

THURSDAY
P.M.
10:30 5 "Lullaby of Broadway"
9 "Angel and the Badman"
10(41) "Mr. Scout Master"
11 "A Holiday Affair"
A.M.
12:20 5 "Here Comes The Nelsons"

FRIDAY
P.M.
10:30 5 "Going My Way"
9 "Keys of the Kingdom"
10(41) "The Holly and the Ivy"
11 "Days of Triumph"
A.M.
12:05 8 "One Night In The Tropics"

SATURDAY
A.M.
10:30 11 "Blondie In Society"
P.M.
12:00 10(41) "Texas Legionaries"
11 "Big City Blues"
1:00 8 "Little Giant"
2:30 9 "A Holiday Affair"
3:30 10(41) "Santa Fe Stampede"
6:30 4 "Pinocchio In Outer Space"
10(41) "The Bluebird"
7:30 9 "Tribes"
8:00 3-4 "Far From The Madding Crowd"
8 "The Singing Nun"
10(41) "Kit Carson"
10:00 10(41) "Curse of the Undead"
10:15 6-13 "The Invisible Woman"
8 "Street of Chance"
10:30 4 "Rome Adventure"
5 "Welcome Stranger"
9 "King of Kings"
11:00 3 "Requiem For A Heavyweight"
12:30 9 "Give A Girl A Break"
12:35 5 "Our Hearts Were Growing Up"

Daytime Weekly TV Schedule

KYTV, Channel 3, Springfield
WDAF, Channel 4, Kansas City
KCMO, Channel 5, Kansas City
KMOS, Channel 6, Sedalia
KOMU, Channel 8, Columbia
KMBC, Channel 9, Kansas City
KPLR, Channel 11, St. Louis
KRCG, Channel 13, Jefferson City
KBMA Channel 41 (10) Kansas City

MORNING
6:25 4 Black History
5 Sunrise Semester
6:30 3 SMS Forum
4 I Love Lucy
6:55 5 Farm Facts
7:00 3-4-8 Today Show
5 News
9 Education '71
7:25 6-13 County Agent's Report
7:30 6-13 News
9 Huckleberry Hound
8:00 5-6-13 Capt. Kangaroo
11 News
8:15 11 Cartoons
8:30 9 Mother-In-Law
9:00 3-6-13 Seasame Street
4 Beverly Breckenridge
5 David Frost
8 Dinah's Place
9 Truth Or Consequences
11 Jack LaLanne
9:20 4 Fashion In Sewing
9:30 4-8 Concentration
9 Newly Wed Game
11 Theatre I
10:00 3-4-8 Sale Of The Century
5-6-13 Family Affair
9 Dating Game
10:30 3-4-8 Hollywood Squares
5-6-13 Love Of Life
9-11 That Girl
11:00 3-4-8 Jeopardy
9 Bewitched
11 Country Carnival
7:00 9 F.B.I.
10(41) Wild Wild West
11 Country Palace
7:30 3-8 Jimmy Stewart
4 Columbia Union Report
11 St. Louis Blues Hockey
8:00 3-4-8 Bonanza
9-10(41) Movie
8:30 5-6-13 Cade's Country
9:00 3-4-8 Bold Ones
9:30 5 Andy Griffith
6-13 "Rollin' On The River"
10:00 3-4-5-6-8-9-13 News
11 Soul Train
10:30 3 Dr. Simon Locke
4-8 Johnny Carson
5 News
6-9-10(41)-13 Movie
10:45 5 Movie
11:00 3 Wrestling
11 Movie
12:00 8 News
12:30 5-6-9-13 News
12:45 11 News

AFTERNOON
12:00 3-5-6-8-13 News
4 Somerset
9 All My Children
10(41) Romper Room
11 Movie Game
12:20 3-8 Fashions In Sewing
12:30 3-11 Galloping Gourmet
4-8 Three On A Match
5-6-13 As The World Turns
5-6-13 Where The Heart Is
11 Living Room Adventure
11 Crafts With Kathy (F)
1:25 5 Flash Back
11:30 3-4-8 Who, What or Where
5-6-13 Search For Tomorrow
9 Password
10(41) Under Dog
11 Man Trap
4-10(41) Movie
9 This Is The Life
4:15 3 TBA
4:30 3 The Navy Christmas
9 National Geographic
11 Wagon Train
5:00 3 Christmas Lost and Found
8 Outdoorsman
5:30 3-8 News
9 Let's Make A Deal
10(41) Dinah's Place
1:00 3-4-8 Days Of Our Lives
5-6-13 Love Is A Many Splendored Thing
9 Ecetera
10(41) Galloping Gourmet
11 Movie
1:30 3-4-8 Doctors
5-6-13 Guiding Light
10(41) Please Don't Eat The Daisies
2:00 3-4-8 Another World
5-6-13 Secret Storm
9 General Hospital
10(41) Flying Nun
2:30 3-4-8 Bright Promise
5-6-13 Edge Of Night
9 One Life To Live
10(41) Treehouse Lane
11 Pet Set (F)
3:00 3-8 Somerset
8 Family Classics: "The Black Tulip"
9 Hogan's Heroes
0(41) Virginian
11 Dragnet
7:00 3-4-8 Laugh-In
5-6-13 Gunsmoke
9 Pinocchio
11 Let's Make A Deal
7:30 11 Please Don't Eat The Daisies
8:00 3-4-8-10(41) Movie
5-6-13 Here's Lucy
9 Liberty Bowl: Arkansas at Tennessee
11 David Frost
8:30 5-6-13 Doris Day
9:00 5-6-13 My Three Sons
11 Perry Mason
10:00 3-4-5-6-8-13 News
11 Peyton Place
10:30 3-4-8 Johnny Carson
5-10(41)-11 Movie
6-13 Merv Griffin
10:45 9 News
11:15 9 Movie
12:00 4-6-8-13 News
12:05 4 Divorce Court
12:15 5 News
12:20 5 Movie
4 Perry Mason
5-6-13 Gomer Pyle
9 Love American Style
11 Tennessee Tuxedo
3:30 3 Three On A Match
5 Mike Douglas
6-13 Galloping Gourmet
8 Of Interest To Women
9-11 Flintstones
4:00 3 Green Acres
4 Big Valley
6-13 Show Time
8 Electric Co.
9 Petticoat Junction
10(41) Ultra Man
11 F Troop
4:30 3 Perry Mason
6-13 Lucy
8 Daniel Boone
9 Dick Van Dyke
10(41) Leave It To Beaver
11 Gilligan's Island
5:00 4 News
5 It's Your Bet
6-13 My Three Sons
9 I Dream of Jeannie
10(41) Lassie and Timmy
11 Leave It To Beaver
5:30 3-4-5-6-8-13-9 News
10(41) Lost In Space
11 I Love Lucy
7:00 8 White Paper Part I
9 The Undersea World of Jacques Cousteau
11 Wagon Train
7:30 3 Funny Side
4 NBC White Paper "Vietnam Hindsight - Part I"
5-6-13 Hawaii Five-O
8:00 9 Land of the Small
10(41) Movie
11 David Frost
8:30 3-8 Nichols
4 Oral Roberts Christmas Special
5-6-13 Cannon
9:00 9 Danny Thomas Special
11 Perry Mason
9:30 3 This Is Your Life
4 Hank Stram
5 Doctor In The House
6-13 Jr. High Chorale Holiday Special
8 Nashville Music
10:00 3-4-5-6-8-9-13 News
10(41) One Step Beyond
11 Peyton Place
10:30 3-4-8 Johnny Carson
6-13 Merv Griffin
5-9-11 Movie
10(41) Dick Cavett
12:00 4-6-8-13 News
12:05 4 Divorce Court
12:15 5 News
12:20 5 Movie
12:30 9 News

MONDAY

EVENING
6:00 2 Cable TV Public Forum
3-5-6-8-9-13 News
4 High Chaparral
11 Dick Van Dyke
6:30 3 Christmas Is
5 Sportsman's Friend
6-13 Chicago Teddy Bears

TUESDAY

EVENING
6:00 3-5-6-8-9-13 News
4 Here Comes Santa Claus
11 Dick Van Dyke
6:30 3-4-8 Sarge
5-6-13 What Happened To The Army
9 A Christmas Carol
10(41) Virginian
11 Dragnet

WEDNESDAY

EVENING
6:00 3-5-6-8-9-13 News
4 High Chaparral
11 Dick Van Dyke
6:30 3 Death Valley Days
5 Andy Griffith
6-13 Ozark Opry
8 Rod Gelatt's Postscript
9 Hogan's Heroes
10(41) The Virginian
11 Dragnet
7:00 3-4-8 Adam 12
5-6-13 Carol Burnett
9 New Performers
11 Pinocchio
7:30 3-4-8 Mystery Movie
8:00 5-6-13 Medical Center
9-10(41) Movie
11 David Frost
9:00 3-6-13 Oral Roberts Christmas Special
5 Mannix
4-8 White Paper Part II "Vietnam Hindsight"
11 Perry Mason
10:00 3-4-5-6-8-9-13 News
10(41) One Step Beyond
11 Peyton Place
10:30 3-4-8 Johnny Carson
5-11 Movie
6-13 Merv Griffin
9 Best Collegiate Basketball
10(41) Dick Cavett
12:00 4-6-8-13 News
12:05 4 Divorce Court
12:15 5 News
12:20 5 Movie
1:00 9 News

THURSDAY

EVENING
6:00 3-5-6-8-9-13 News
4 High Chaparral
11 Dick Van Dyke
6:30 3 Slim Wilson
5 Christmas Is!
6-13 Hee Haw
8 Untamed World
9 Hogan's Heroes
10(41) A Christmas Carol
11 Dragnet
7:00 3-4-8 Flip Wilson
5 Bearcats
9 Alias Smith and Jones
11 Wagon Train
7:30 5-6-13 Death Valley Days
8:00 3-4-8 Ironside
5-6-13 CBS Report
9 Longstreet
11 David Frost
8:30 10(41) Movie
9:00 3-4-8 Dean Martin
9 Owen Marshall
11 Perry Mason
10:00 3-4-5-6-8-9-13 News
10(41) One Step Beyond
11 Peyton Place
10:30 3-4-8 Johnny Carson
5-9-11 Movie
6-13 Merv Griffin
10(41) Dick Cavett
12:00 4-6-8-13 News
12:05 4 Divorce Court
12:15 5 News
12:20 5 Movie
12:30 9 The Untouchables

FRIDAY

EVENING
6:00 3-5-6-8-9-13 News
4 High Chaparral
11 Dick Van Dyke
6:30 3 Big Valley
5 A Little Advent Music
6-13 Porter Wagoner
8 NFL Game of the Week
9 Hogan's Heroes
10(41) Virginian
11 Dragnet
7:00 5-6-13 J.T. Special
4-8 The D.A.
9 Brady Bunch
11 Wagon Train
7:30 3-4-8 Chronolog
8:00 5-6-13 Beethoven's Birthday — A Celebration
9 Room 222
10(41) Movie
11 Tom Jones Christmas Special

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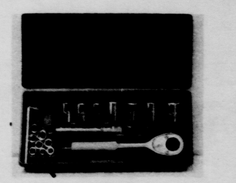
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High Velocity Twist

When Lawrence Collins went out to check on his his nearly-completed 2,000 square foot furniture warehouse building on South Limit about 2:30 a.m. Wednesday after being concerned about the severe storm in progress at that time, this is what he found. Collins said pieces of the new structure, scattered by high winds, were recovered over a three acre area. He added that a mobile trailer nearby had nearly been blown off its supporting concrete blocks.

(Democrat- Capital Photo)

Indian Government Declares Cease-fire

By THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

Pakistan's army in East Pakistan surrendered Thursday and as Indian troops marched into Dacca the New Delhi government declared a unilateral cease-fire on the West Pakistan front, 1,000 miles to the west. Pakistan was reported considering its response.

Informed sources in Rawalpindi said late Thursday night the government had the Indian decision under discussion.

Earlier, Pakistan's president, declaring the loss of East Pakistan after 24 years of Pakistani rule a temporary setback, vowed to fight on "until occupied areas are taken back."

But India seemed sure of its position. It said the cease-fire will go into effect Friday night on the western front—where a fierce tank battle had been reported raging Wednesday.

The Pakistan army has been outnumbered by Indian forces throughout the fighting. One of Pakistan's problems was that much of its army, normally stationed in the West, has been tied up for months in the east wing.

It seemed part of Indian strategy to keep them there until an over-all peace settlement can be worked out under impetus of the cease-fire.

The Indian cabinet's decision for the western cease-fire was conveyed to Foreign Minister Swarah Singh, now at the United Nations. India had brushed aside an earlier U.N. General Assembly appeal for a cease-fire.

Prime Minister Indira Gandhi told a cheering Parliament in New Delhi that after 13 days of fighting "Dacca is now the free capital of a free country."

She said some of the nearly 10 million refugees who fled to India to escape the Pakistani army had begun to return to Bengla Desh, as the Bengalis call East Pakistan.

There was one last bloody note. Excited Bengalis shooting in the air may have provoked a skirmish between Pakistani and Indian troops in front of the Intercontinental Hotel. One Pakistani soldier and two other persons were killed.

An Indian government spokesman told newsmen in New Delhi that Indian troops would remain in Bengla Desh "until mopping up operations are completed, until normalcy is restored, until the task set for the army is fully done, until the health and municipal services are restored, and the refugees are repatriated."

The spokesman added that the Bengla Desh civil administration, led by four senior civil servants, was expected to take over general administrative responsibilities Friday in Dacca.

Indian and Pakistani troops mingled freely in Dacca, and the Pakistanis accepted surrender with stoic calm, an AP reporter in the city reported.

"The Indian armed forces will not remain in Bengla Desh longer than they are needed," Mrs. Gandhi told her parliament.

She said India's only aim was "to assist the people of Bengla Desh and the Mukti Bahini to end the reign of terror" that began last March when West Pakistani troops moved against an independence movement. The Mukti Bahini are guerrillas who fought the Pakistanis.

The prime minister expressed hope that Sheik Mujibur Rahman, the East Pakistani leader under arrest in West Pakistan, "will take his rightful place and lead the Bengla Desh people to peace, progress and prosperity."

It was disclosed that she had written a letter to President Nixon blaming the United States and other great powers for failing to take steps to avoid the conflict. One step they could have taken, she wrote, was to obtain the sheik's release. She spoke of U.S. "innuendos and insinuations" that India was to blame for the war.

Nixon still seeks an Indian withdrawal from East Pakistan, the White House reported. A presidential aide, acknowledging that Nixon has received Mrs. Gandhi's letter, remarked: "The way to avoid war is not starting up tanks and putting bullets into rifles."

In West Pakistan, President Agha Mohammed Yahya Khan said in a nationwide broadcast: "If India does not agree to come to terms with Pakistan, then the whole of Asia will be involved in a bloody war."

Yahya heads a military goverment. He said his troops in East Pakistan "though vastly outnumbered and cut off from supplies and reinforcements by land, sea and air due to the enemy blockage, held out for months against a perfidious and ruthless enemy, massively equipped and backed by a superpower."

The Soviet Union backs India.

The president said he will announce on schedule Monday a new constitution that will contain "clear and unequivocal provisions guaranteeing maximum autonomy to East Pakistan, consistent with the concept of one Pakistan."

Referring to the people in East Pakistan Yahya declared: "This is not the end. We shall fight for our country relentlessly.....The torch of resistance to India's naked aggression shall never be allowed to be extinguished."

Appropriations Committee Hears Protests on Prison

JEFFERSON CITY, Mo. (AP) — Protests against construction of a $9 million maximum security prison at Steele, Mo., were voiced Thursday before the Senate Appropriations Committee.

A Kansas City lawyer, a newspaper publisher and a former parole officer outlined a proposal to use part of the money for community-centered rehabilitation centers instead of building a new prison.

The committee got so interested in the proposal the discussion continued through the lunch hour and into the afternoon.

Henry J. Waters III, Columbia, Mo., Tribune publisher, said community centers would cost no more and could save taxpayers money if the prisoners return percentage is reduced.

Waters explained none of the groups present argued with the need for some additional security measures to separate troublemakers from other inmates.

They suggested tightening security at the penitentiary in Jefferson City and spending the remaining money to initiate a local centers program.

Waters used "Reality House" at Columbia as an example of the successful application of the theory.

He said it is such a center — "on the ground and working." Because of its success, he said, he could "almost say to the legislature, if you give us what is spent per capita (on inmates) we can do a better job in these centers."

"Reality House," Waters said, started last September. It now has 10 residents ranging in age from 15 to 25 and is funded through the Law Enforcement Assistance Council. Waters is a member of the Mid-Missouri Regional Law Enforcement Council.

The basic idea, Waters explained, is to use the community for real situations — jobs, education and so on — instead of "making the taxpayer pay" for the simulated atmosphere attempted with current educational programs behind bars. Residents pay rent and, with the assistance of a board, can solve their own social problems.

The job could be done at no more cost than the present system and "it might work," he said.

The groups working for the community centers envision pilot projects in Kansas City and St. Louis.

Arthur A. Benson II, Kansas City attorney and member of the Citizens Lobby for Penal Reform, told the committee more policemen and present penal methods "obviously are not working."

As proof he pointed to the 37 per cent rate of return for the entire prison population and to the increased population at Missouri's penal institutions.

He called the main prison here an "antiquated and dilapidated" institution set on "rolling land impossible to maintain." Later he suggested officials "beef up security in Jefferson City" instead of building a new prison.

In Money Order Case

Suspects Released To Columbia Hands

Three men picked up in Sedalia Wednesday afternoon for investigation of attempting to cash stolen money orders were turned over to Columbia officials Thursday afternoon to face possible armed robbery charges there.

The men, Melvin Lee Crawford, 20, Michael Ladd, 22, and Alec Wade Stanley, 24, and a woman who gave her age as a juvenile, were picked up by Sedalia Police through cooperation of the Fraud Alert program sponsored by the Chamber of Commerce. All gave Kansas City addresses.

The men were placed in the city jail, following their apprehension. The fourth suspect, a woman who gave her age as a juvenile, remains in the county jail, where she was lodged as a juvenile. Police Chief William Miller said Thursday morning he has information from Columbia police indicating the woman may be much older than 16.

Under the Fraud Alert system, participating Sedalia businessmen alert each other when a fraud is suspected. This happened Wednesday, when a local merchant notified the Police Department he suspected a subject was attempting to cash a stolen money order.

Police covered the general area of Third and Ohio and through contacts with businesses in that area arrested the four suspects about 3:30 p.m. The girl was apprehended in the J.C. Penny's store, it was learned.

Thursday morning Chief Miller called the Travelers Express home office in Minneapolis, Minn., to determine if the money orders had been stolen. He learned they had been taken in an armed robbery of Schult's IGA Foodliner in Columbia on Nov. 22.

A block of 200 money orders, which may be made out for amounts up to $150, were taken in the robbery, Columbia police reported.

A check protector was used to make out the money orders used in Sedalia, and a check by Miller with the National Crime Information Center in Washington indicated the check protector had been stolen. This item had been fed into the NCIC computers by the FBI in Kansas City in November.

Prosecuting Attorney Adam Fischer indicated he would defer charges locally, pending the results of action by Columbia officials, since they have the more serious charge.

Chief Miller said he "highly recommends the local Fraud Alert program and urges merchants not participating to do so." He indicated he is happy with the results obtained through participation in the NCIC, which furnishes information on many subjects almost instantaneously.

One of the alleged bogus notes was accepted at Priddy's Shoe Store while two others were rejected by Penny's and Goodheart's Jewelers.

Agree Unanimously On Bush's Proposal

UNITED NATIONS, N.Y. (AP) — U.S. Ambassador George Bush said Thursday night that the 15 members of the U.N. Security Council were in unanimous agreement on a resolution he had introduced for cease-fire, disengagement and withdrawal in the India-Pakistan war.

But, addressing the council after a long recess for consultations, he added that India and Pakistan had not yet accepted the resolution. He suggested that efforts be continued to get them to do so.

To allow time for this process, the council president, Sierra Leone Ambassador Ismael Byne Taylor-Kamara, adjourned the meeting to 10:30 a.m. EST Friday.

Bush made some changes in the U.S. resolution, co-sponsored by Japan, that he said had been "rather unanimously suggested" in the consultations.

In one change, he specified that the cease-fire should be "immediate."

In another, he substituted a provision asking Secretary-General U Thant to send a special representative to East Pakistan to help solve "humanitarian problems" for one asking him to strengthen the existing staff of the U.N. East Pakistan Relief Operation.

The U.S.-Japanese resolution, originally drafted by some of the council's nonpermanent members, was a counter to one put in by Soviet Ambassador Jacob A. Malik at Thursday night's meeting.

It called for a "durable cease-fire" in all areas of conflict to remain in effect until operations of disengagement take place leading to withdrawal of troops to their own countries.

The Soviet resolution called upon Pakistan to follow India's example and order a cease-fire in the West and to halt military activities in all other areas.

Soviet Ambassador Jacob A. Malik urged the 15-nation council to welcome the "cessation of hostilities in East Pakistan."

This, the Soviet proposal said, will lead to the "immediate and unhampered accession to power of the lawful representatives" elected in 1970.

The Soviet proposal called specifically for a cessation of hostilities at 9:30 a.m. EST Friday, the hour previously set by Indian Prime Minister Indira Gandhi.

Earlier, India appealed to the council to concentrate on getting a complete cease-fire in East Pakistan and the West before turning to such problems as troop withdrawals.



SBA Designates Greene County Disaster Area

WASHINGTON (AP) — The Small Business Administration Thursday designated Greene County, Missouri, as a disaster area as the result of tornado damage Dec. 14.

The designation permits owners of homes, businesses, churches and charitable institutions whose property was damaged or destroyed to apply for disaster relief loans.

Loan applications will be accepted at a temporary office located in the Hood Methodist Church, Republic, Mo.

weather

Clear and partly cloudy today and tonight. The high today near 40, with a low tonight between 25 and 30. Tomorrow should bring increasing cloudiness and warmer temperatures, with a predicted high Saturday of 50.

Lake of the Ozarks stage: 58.4; 1.6 feet below full reservoir.

Sunset today will be at 4:53 p.m.; sunrise Saturday at 7:26 a.m.

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Buyer Becomes Ill

Confirm LSD Sale at High School

A 15-year-old boy, expelled by the board of education Tuesday night, sold an LSD tablet to a girl student who subsequently went into convulsions, The Democrat-Capital has learned.

A school official, who insisted on remaining anonymous, told The Democrat-Capital, "The board of education and the teachers at Smith-Cotton are aware of the problem and felt that some type of action had to be taken."

It was reported that the girl, whose name was not revealed, purchased the tablet for $2. She went into convulsions after taking the LSD and required a physician's care.

It was learned after Tuesday night's school board meeting that the boy who sold the LSD tablet originally purchased it for 50 cents. "He said someone on the street sold it to him," The Democrat-Capital's source reported. The boy admitted selling the tablet.

The boy's expulsion case was one of nine discipline cases heard by the board Tuesday, but none of the others apparently involved drugs.

It was learned that the girl who purchased the tablet apparently asked the youth to sell it to her. One source said the girl indicated she did not know what the pill was.

Concern was expressed during the interview with The Democrat-Capital that the general public held the opinion that both the board of education and the faculty at Smith-Cotton were unaware of the alleged drug problem at the school.

Faculty members and the school board know of the problem and are taking whatever steps are available to correct the situation, it was reported.

It was also indicated that when disciplinary measures are taken in a case similar to the LSD sale, no publicity is sought because the school wishes to protect the families of those involved. The school official asked, "Can you imagine how that boy's family must feel?"

American Jet Hit by Enemy Ground Fire

SAIGON (AP) — An American jet which crashed Thursday near Phnom Penh definitely was hit by enemy ground fire while supporting Cambodian troops northwest of the capital, military sources reported.

The U.S. Air Force F4 Phantom fighter-bomber crashed and burned 200 yards from Phnom Penh's Pochentong Airport after the two pilots bailed out.

Military sources in the Cambodian capital said the plane was hit while on a bombing run near Phnom Baset, 14 miles to the northwest.

The pilots apparently tried to make an emergency landing at Pochentong, but aborted the effort at the last minute and parachuted to safety.

U.S. officers in Saigon said the pilots were picked up by a Cambodian helicopter and taken to the air field, where they were transferred to a U.S. Air Force rescue helicopter, which returned them to their base in Thailand.

The U.S. Command said the crash brought to 8,053 the number of U.S. aircraft lost to all causes in the Indochina war.

From Cambodia's northeastern front came word that the government garrison of about 4,000 men at Taing Kauk, 48 miles northeast of Phnom Penh, has been surrounded by the North Vietnamese 9th Division.

An 800-man garrison at Prakham, three miles farther south on Highway 6, was reported surrounded Wednesday night and Thursday morning.

Although the Cambodians hold scattered outposts south of Prakham, the northernmost government strongpoint is now the vital road junction at Skoun, 35 miles northeast of the capital.

If Skoun falls, North Vietnamese forces will control virtually all of northeastern Cambodia.

South Vietnamese spokesmen reported that a 6,000-man task force pushing through the Chup rubber plantation in eastern Cambodia had reached the east bank of the Mekong River, directly across from Kompong Cham.

The South Vietnamese troops have not yet encountered significant resistance in their drive through Chup, 35 miles inside Cambodia and about 110 miles northwest of Saigon.

Two Americans were killed in combat last week, the U.S. Command reported, but the number of GIs who died from nonhostile causes jumped sharply, to 38. The killed-in-action figure equalled the lowest official weekly total in nearly seven years.

The command reported 56 Americans wounded in action last week, a sharp climb from the 14 reported the previous week.

A spokesman, Maj. Chester Hanson, said the rise in nonhostile deaths to 38—the highest total since last February—reflected a change in the status of 30 Americans from missing to dead. They were among 34 GIs killed when their CH47 Chinook helicopter crashed north of Da Nang Nov. 28.

The Saigon command reported 243 South Vietnamese troops killed in action and 759 wounded, compared to 314 killed and 630 wounded the previous week.

The allied commands claimed 1,046 enemy troops killed during the week, up from 809 the previous week.

Art Buchwald

Nixon Is a Real Challenge to Travel Agent

WASHINGTON — "Can I help you, sir?"

"Yes, I'd like to buy a round-trip ticket to the Azores."

"How long were you planning to stay?"

"Two days. I have to meet with a Frenchman named Georges Pompidou."



Buchwald

"We can arrange that. Your last name, please?"

"Nixon."

"First initial?"

"R like in Richard."

"Very good."

"Now from the Azores I have to go to Bermuda to see Edward Heath of London."

"Why don't you fly directly to London, sir?"

"No it has to be in Bermuda, and by Dec. 20."

"All right, sir. We can fly you to Lisbon and then you change planes and we'll have you in Bermuda on the 20th. Will that be all?"

"No, from there I have to go to Key Biscayne to meet with Willy Brandt. I should be there on the 28th of December."

"That shouldn't be any trouble. We have two flights a day from Bermuda to Miami. Will you be staying in Key Biscayne?"

"Of course not. From Key Biscayne I have to get to San Clemente, Calif., to meet with Eisaku Sato of Japan on Jan. 6."

"Let me look at my schedules here. You're in luck. There's a flight from Miami to San Clemente on the night of the 5th. It should get you there in time for your meeting."

"That's fine. Now one more thing. Can you get me from San Clemente to Peking by Feb. 21?"

"What state is that in, sir?"

"It's not a state. I want to go to Peking, China."

"Oh, I see. Hmmmnnn. There doesn't seem to be any planes leaving from San Clemente to Peking, China. Let me look in the new schedules. Pekin, Ill., Pekin, Ind., Pekin, N.Y., Pekin, N.D. — dear, me, no Peking, China. I'll check if there is anything leaving from Los Angeles. Ah, yes, here it is. You fly to Hong Kong and take a bus to Canton, which connects with a plane for Peking."

"How much is it family plan?"

"How many of you are going?"

"My wife Pat and Henry Kissinger."

"Is Henry related to you, sir?"

"No, but he's like a son to me."

"We're sorry, he'll have to pay full fare. It will be $4,000 round trip, plus tax."

"Can I fly now and pay later?"

"Not to Peking, sir. Ever since the Cultural Revolution the airlines prefer their money in advance."

"Don't I get a discount for going in the winter?"

"No, but you're allowed a free stopover in North Korea on the way back."

"I don't want a free stop in North Korea. I have to go to Moscow after I go to Peking."

"Well, why didn't you say so? You can fly back to the United States via Moscow and save $33."

"I don't have to go to Moscow until May."

"My goodness, you have a bit of time in there between Peking and Moscow. Where would you like to spend it?"

"It really doesn't matter. Do you have any suggestions?"

"Let me look at my travel brochures a moment. Would you be interested in visiting Washington, D.C.?"

"What for?"

"It's the nation's capital. There are many things of interest there. There's the Lincoln Memorial, the National Gallery and they have a new tourist attraction called the Kennedy Center."

"I'd better check it out with my wife."

"Why don't we put you down for Washington between Peking and Moscow? If you change your mind, we can always write you out a new ticket."

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A Conservative View

Bad Bill Rightly Vetoed

By JAMES J. KILPATRICK

WASHINGTON — The cartoon showed a fat and happy President at his White House desk, chortling over his veto of the Child Development Act. Peering through a window are the pinched and reproachful faces of two little children, one white, one black. A caption suggests that someone ought to pull the drapes.



Kilpatrick

The point, in a word: Richard Nixon is an ogre. If he were not an ogre, he would sign the bill. Well, score one for our side. The President did not sign the bill. He put his signature instead to a five-page veto message that ranks among his finest state papers of recent months. On the following day, in a born-again revival of good judgment, the Senate refused to override. The bill is thus dead for this session and, thanks to the veto message, opponents will be better equipped to resist a resurrection in the next.

This bill was incredible. Imagine, if you please, a casserole composed of yesterday's spaghetti and Tuesday's leftover hash, to which a hundred helpful cooks, bursting with good intentions, had added a smattering of spinach, pickled beets, eggplant, avocado, cream cheese, caviar, maple syrup, malted milk, hard cider, sauerkraut, cole slaw, Grape-nuts, two cans of motor oil and a whipped cream topping. Garnished with raw politics and drenched with crocodile tears, this was the soggy mess deposited on the President's desk. Mr. Nixon has a strong stomach, but this was too much.

It was understandable that congressional liberals should have concocted this dish. Minnesota's Walter Mondale, for one, is widely acclaimed for his galvanized innards. He can swallow whole washtubs of nonsense without so much as a hiccup. It was beyond belief, however, that conservatives knowingly could have supported the bill. In charity, one has to conclude that they simply did not know what the bill contained. Certainly in the House this was true. The bill was hustled across the chamber as a floor amendment, unread and misunderstood.

The bill had three parts. The first would have locked the Office of Economic Opportunity into a dozen categorical programs of untested wisdom. A second section would have spawned an irresponsible and unaccountable National Legal Services Corporation. The third and most calamitous section would have created a monster. It would have brought into being a full-blown program of "comprehensive child development services."

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As the President took pains to remark in his veto message, a number of modest child-care programs already exist — some private, some public. He has asked a reasonable expansion of these in his own welfare program. No one questions the basic proposition, that more mothers can be put to work, gaining self-respect and paying taxes, if day-care facilities can be provided for their children. So far, so good.

Senator Mondale's concoction could not be recognized in any such common-sense terms. Doubtless it was not so intended, but the bill pointed to a virtual Sovietization of America's children. Except for a couple of paragraphs of afterthought parsley, faintly acknowledging the parental role, the stew fairly simmered with communal dumplings. The bill envisioned whole regiments of psychologists, psychiatrists, child specialists, group leaders, nutritive experts, research directors, short-order cooks, textbook salesmen, out-of-work artists, doctors of infant emotion and resident fellows in mud-pie analysis. One million tots on one million couches, attended by one million mail-order mommas. This was the nursery of Mondale's contriving.

Mr. Nixon objected to the cost — $2 billion for openers, $20 billion annually in the course of time. He objected to the prospect of an administrative nightmare, peopled by 7,000 "prime sponsors." More than anything, he objected to a program that would "diminish both parental authority and parental involvement," and instead would "commit the vast moral authority of the national government to the side of communal approaches to child rearing over against the family-centered approach." It was, in brief, a lemon of a bill; but it was a honey of a veto.

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A Plea To Insure Survival of Arts

More than 600 million Americans visit museums each year. Over 12 million go to symphony concerts. Millions more attend opera, ballet and other performances. Lincoln Center outsells Yankee Stadium three to one.

All told, we spend about $2 billion annually on the arts and everything that fits under that broad heading.

Yet at the same time, orchestras are in the red, museums are being forced to curtail services and many fine arts organizations are balanced on the edge of bankruptcy.

In spite of increasing interest, the arts are not flourishing. For example, when the Boston Symphony Orchestra was organized 90 years ago, it served a city of 350,000. Today it is still the only major orchestra in a metropolitan area of nearly 2 million.

Unfortunately, broadcasting networks do not lay out great bundles of cash to televise the "Symphony of the Week," etc., as they do with pro football and other sports.

And just as if someone was reaching into the till and taking the money away, inflation is reducing the ability of the arts and of artists to serve the community. The ability of the people to give is being cut by the same inflation.

Business can raise prices when its costs go up. Government can raise taxes. But what are the arts to do? To raise ticket prices beyond certain limits is to exclude the public. To reduce costs is to cut the very services the community demands.

"I believe we must ask for a wholly new priority for the arts in this country," says Amyas Ames, chairman of the board of New York's Lincoln Center for the Performing Arts. "We should do for the arts and humanities in the 1970s what we did for the sciences in the 1940s and 1950s."

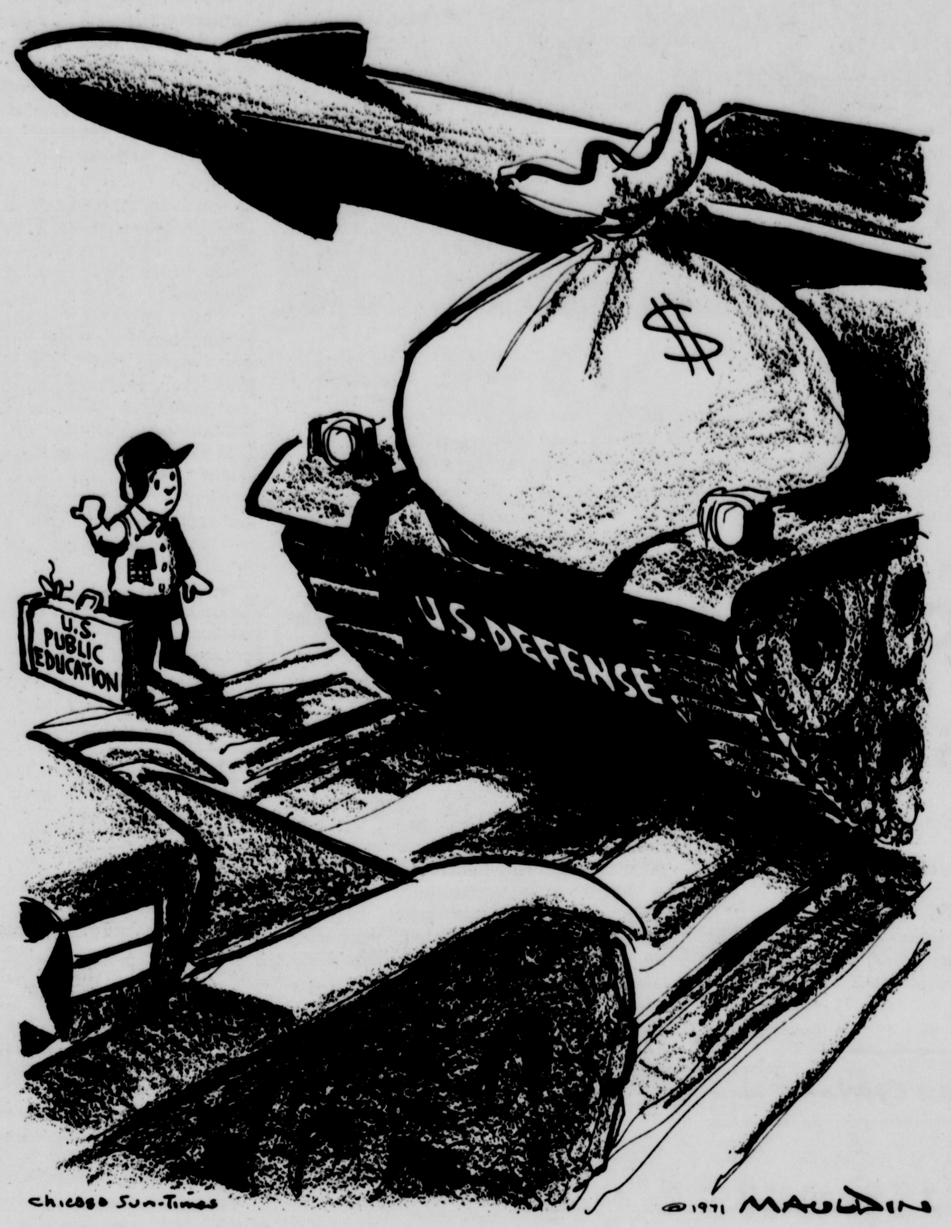
Current federal funding for the National Endowment of the Arts provides almost $30 million. But this, he argues, is not adequate for a nation of 200 million people. It amounts to about 15 cents a person.

Ames asks support for new legislation to provide federal aid equal to at least 10 per cent of what Americans now spend on the arts. This would be $200 million a year, about $1 a person.

It would compare with $1.40 per person spent on the arts in Canada, $2 in Sweden and Austria and $2.42 in West Germany. It is only 1 per cent of what we spend on roads each year—the cost of about 15 miles of super-highway.

It would still leave 90 per cent of the support of the arts to be paid from ticket sales and from the gifts of individuals, corporations and by local government subsidy.

"What we ask is modest when measured in terms of other federal projects," says Ames. "Above all, what we ask for is a wholly new priority for the arts and humanities—for that which gives our lives richness and meaning."



Merry-Go-Round



U.S. Policy 'Tilts' Toward Pakistanis

By JACK ANDERSON

WASHINGTON — We have dug out more evidence that President Nixon, apparently because of a personal rapport with Pakistan's President Yahya Khan, is permitting India to fall under Soviet dominance.

Not only is India the world's second most populous nation, whose democratic government should make it a natural U.S. ally, but Nixon's moves have opened the way for Russia to fulfill its dream of penetrating deep into Southwest Asia.

The Nixon administration has rung down the censorship curtain on the backstage developments. Since censorship isn't supposed to be tolerated in the U.S., the White House has merely swept all the awkward facts under the secrecy label.

However, we have broken the censorship and can expose Nixon's duplicity.

His private policymaker, Henry Kissinger, assured reporters during a background session last week that the administration wasn't at all biased against India. "There have been some comments," he said, "that the administration is anti-India. This is totally inaccurate."

Behind the guarded doors of the White House Situation Room, however, Kissinger sang a different tune. He told top planners, who gathered on Dec. 3 to map strategy: "I'm getting hell every half hour from the President that we are not being tough enough on India."

The same hush-hush group, known formally as the Washington Special Action Group, got a similar earful at their strategy session on the next day. The State Department's man, Assistant Secretary Samuel DePalma, questioned presidential instructions that the U.S. should confine its criticism at the United Nations to India alone.

"The President says either the bureaucracy should put out the right statements on this, or the White House will do it," snapped Kissinger.

"We will have difficulty in the UN," cautioned DePalma, "because most of the countries that might go with us don't want to tilt toward Pakistan to the extent we do."

"Whoever is doing the backgrounding at State is invoking the President's wrath," warned Kissinger. "Please try to follow the President's wishes."

Kissinger also implied to reporters that the U.S. was treating India and Pakistan alike in regard to economic aid. But he instructed the Situation Room strategists to the contrary on Dec. 4.

"On AID matters," he said, "the President wants to proceed against India alone."

Kissinger also spoke to reporters about the Nixon administration's deep concern over the suffering of the refugees and the "strain on the already scarce economic resources of (India)."

Behind the guarded doors, he reiterated that "we don't want to cut off humanitarian aid." But the State Department's ambassador-at-large, Alexis Johnson, warned at the Dec. 6 strategy session that the liberated Bangla Desh territory will become "an international basket case."

"It won't necessarily be our basket case," retorted Kissinger.

During his meeting with reporters, Kissinger took pains to emphasize that the U.S. had stopped all military shipments to Pakistan except for non-lethal spare parts already in the pipeline.

But this, too, isn't the whole truth. At the secret session on Dec. 6, the question of emergency military requests from Pakistan was raised.

"The President may want to honor those requests," declared Kissinger. He stressed that the President "isn't inclined to let the Paks be defeated."

He asked whether the U.S. has the legal right to authorize Jordan or Saudi Arabia to transfer U.S. arms to Pakistan. Chris Van Hollen, a State Department expert, replied flatly: "The United States cannot permit a third country to transfer arms which we have provided them when we, ourselves, don't authorize sale direct to . . . Pakistan.

Yet a secret message was flashed to L. Dean Brown, the American ambassador in Jordan, to keep open the possibility of authorizing King Hussein to rush several U.S.-supplied F-104 fighter planes to Pakistan.

"Whole subject remains under intensive review at very high level of USG (U.S. Government)," Brown was advised.

During his press backgrounder, Kissinger cautiously acknowledged to reporters that Pakistan "started the process which has led to the (Indian-Pakistani conflict)."

The truth, of course, is harsher. Last March, Pakistan clamped military rule on East Bengal. Pakistani soldiers terrorized the Bengali populace, causing millions to flee across the border into India. The majority, clearly, want independence, not Pakistani rule. The invading Indians, though they made the first military move in the war, have been welcomed as liberators.

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An Army National Guard unit held a Christmas party last week during one of its mandatory training sessions. The featured attraction, however, wasn't Santa Claus but a hard-core stag movie.

This unusual Yuletide drill occurred at Company B, 1st Batl., 115th Infantry, in Catonsville, Md. After three hours of military spit-and-polish, the Guardsmen retired to beer and pretzels and a pornographic movie that would make a Dane blush.

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BERRY'S WORLD



"We all know these are times of economic uncertainty, but you just HAVE to project a more confident 'Ho! Ho! Ho!'"

25 Years Ago

The new chimes of Epworth Methodist Church, Broadway and Engineer avenue . . . rang officially for the first time Sunday morning in the call to worship.

95 Years Ago

God pity the poor, when the chilling blasts of winter hover around their rude dwellings and scanty boards.

State Separation

Owing to a loop or double bend in the Mississippi River, there is an area of about 10 square miles in the extreme southwestern corner of Kentucky that can be reached from the rest of the state only by passing through a part of Missouri or Tennessee.

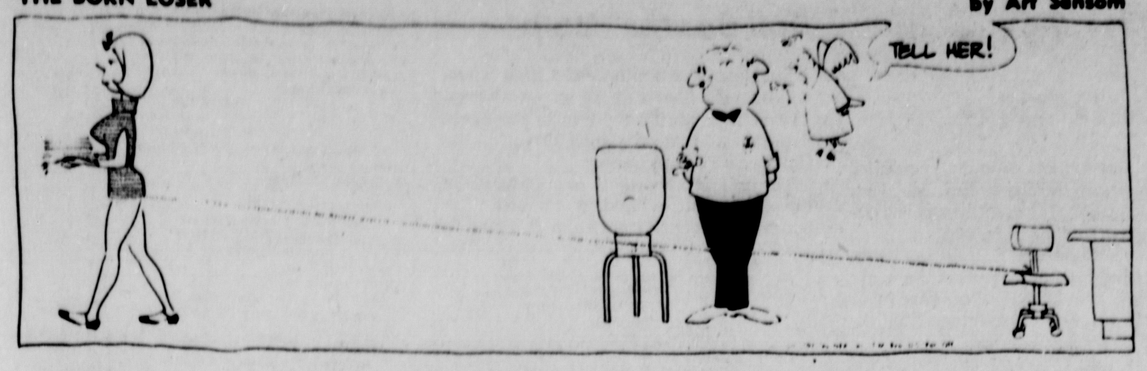
WORLD ALMANAC FACTS



Prime Minister Churchill avowed, "Never in the field of human conflict was so much owed by so many to so few," after the Royal Air Force's decisive defeat of the German Air Force during the Battle of Britain in 1940. The World Almanac notes that, while vastly outnumbered, the RAF's aircraft had a longer combat time.

THE BORN LOSER

by Art Sansom



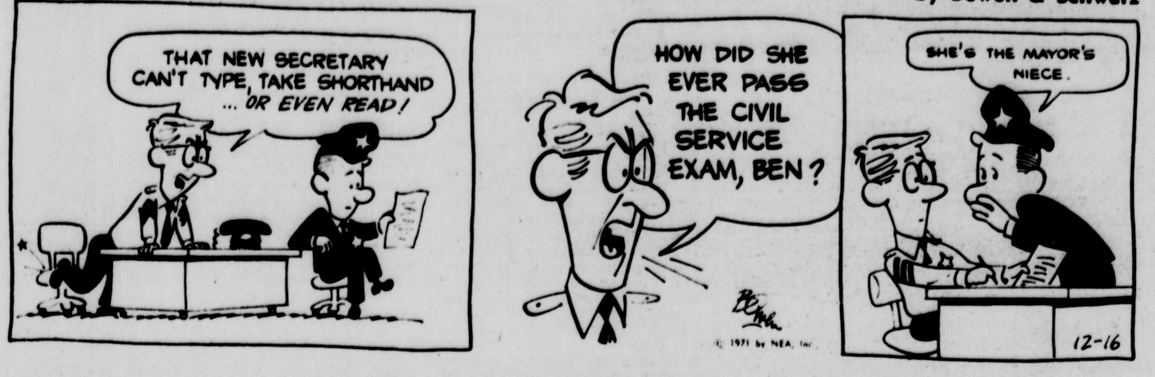
CAMPUS CLATTER starring Bimo Burns

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CAPTAIN EASY

by Crooks & Lawrence



LANCELOT

by Coker & Penn



WINTHROP

by Dick Cavalli



BUGS BUNNY

by Heimdahl & Stoffel



SHORT RIBS

by Frank O'Neal



EEK & MEEK

by Howie Schneider



WIN AT BRIDGE

Expert Bridges Point Gap

	NORTH ♠ 10 7 4 ♥ 10 9 5 ♦ A 9 4 ♣ 10 8 6 2	15
WEST ♠ 6 2 ♥ K 7 5 ♦ K Q 7 5 3 ♣ 9 5 4		EAST ♠ A Q J 3 ♥ J 6 4 2 ♦ 10 8 6 ♣ 7 5
	SOUTH (D) ♠ K 9 8 5 ♥ A Q 8 ♦ J 2 ♣ A K Q J	

Both vulnerable

West	North	East	South
			2 N.T.
Pass	3 N.T.	Pass	Pass
Pass			

Opening lead—♦ K

By Oswald & James Jacoby

Jack Nicklaus uses an iron when others use a driver. Most experts use 20-point two no-trump openings although they claim to stick to 21.

Nicklaus can get enough distance with his iron, but sometimes an expert has trouble getting enough tricks with 20 points.

When South looked over dummy he wished he hadn't shaded his opening. Then he decided to make the best of it. He started by playing a low diamond from dummy.

East signalled with the eight and West was faced with a problem. Was his partner left with a singleton jack or a doubleton 10? West guessed wrong and continued a small diamond.

South gratefully took in the trick with his jack. Then he cashed his four top clubs while East discarded the three of spades and deuce of hearts and West got rid of the spade deuce.

South still had a lot of work ahead of him, but made the right play of the spade nine. East took the trick and made things easy for South by leading back a diamond. This let South in dummy to lead a spade and wind up with one heart, two diamonds, two spades, four clubs and the rubber.

It was possible to beat this contract after the lead of the low diamond at trick two. Don't write us and ask how unless you enclose a stamped, addressed envelope.

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♥♣CARD Sense♠♦

The bidding has been:

West	North	East	South
		1 ♥	Dble
Pass	1 ♠	Pass	2 ♥
Pass	2 N.T.	Pass	3 ♦
Pass	3 N.T.	Pass	?

You, South, hold:

♠ A Q 4 ♥ K 6 ♦ A Q 10 8 5 ♣ K 10 9

What do you do now?

A—Pass. You should be in the right spot.

TODAY'S QUESTION

Instead of bidding two no-trump, your partner has jumped to three spades over your two hearts. What do you do now?

Answer Tomorrow

PRISCILLA'S POP

by Al Vermeer



Sports Show

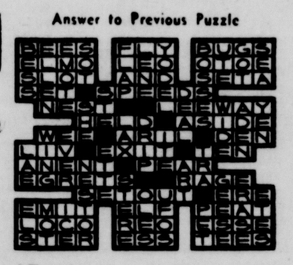
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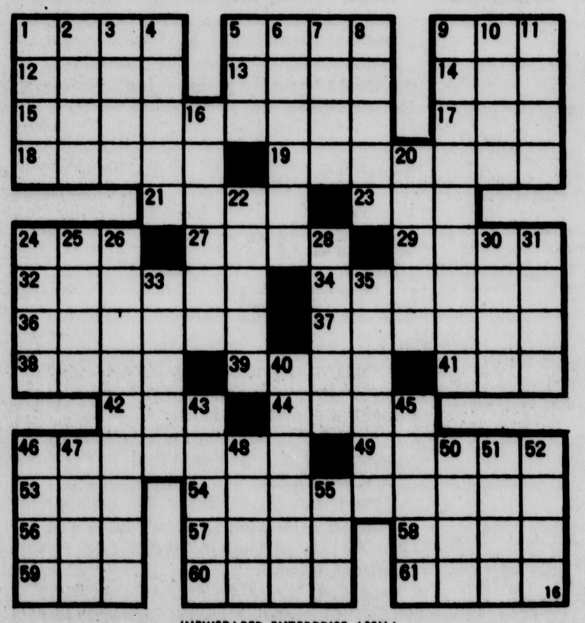
1 Golf —
5 — Willard, erstwhile pugilist
9 Tennis stroke
12 Japanese indigene
13 No other than
14 Turkish official
15 New Jersey university
17 Born
18 Boxing bout
19 Order again
21 Umpire's call
23 Indistinct
24 Period
27 Fisherman's —
29 Florida county
32 Reluctant
34 Titania's husband (myth.)
36 Depended
37 —ball
38 Allowance for waste
39 Bowling —
41 Compass point
42 Jewel
44 Makes choleric
46 Bouquet for the waist
49 Tie the —
53 Brazilian wallaba
54 Male singing voice (pl.)
56 Alcoholic liquor
57 Summers (Fr.)
58 Gadgets for fishermen
59 Sigmoid curve
60 Tyndareus' wife (myth.)
61 Gaelic

DOWN

1 Ballplayers' — (pl.)
2 Italian coins
3 Distinct part
4 Taps in baseball
5 Masculine nickname
6 Dinner course
7 American wild plum
8 Ecclesiastical council
9 Boundaries
10 Curved molding
11 Maxie —
16 Unrefined
20 What a polo player does
22 Supplies with nourishment
24 — game
25 Above
26 Wires
28 Having lobes
30 Accomplishes
31 Grafted (her.)
33 Ceremonies
35 Slightest
40 Having layers
43 Feminine appellation
45 Round teacake
46 Solicitude
47 Musical composition
48 Fence opening
50 Heavy blow
51 Soaks flax
52 Being (Latin)
55 Isaiah (ab.)

Answer to Previous Puzzle





(NEWSPAPER ENTERPRISE ASSN.)

FUNNY BUSINESS

By Roger Bollen



ALLEY OOP

by V. T. Hamlin



SIDE GLANCES

by Gill Fox



"If you're leaving the silent majority, Elsa, you might at least go quietly!"

OUT OUR WAY

by Neg Cochran



CARNIVAL

by Dick Turner



"Where do we import the most sugar from? . . ."

". . . From the lady next door!"

OUR BOARDING HOUSE

with Major Hoople



DEATH NOTICES

Mrs. Rose M. Homan

Mrs. Rose M. Homan, 93, 708 East 16th, died at the Bothwell Hospital at 9:05 p.m. Wednesday. She had been a patient at the hospital since Sunday.

She was born at Nuway, Ohio, Feb. 13, 1878, daughter of the late Marion and Della Helphrey Yarnell. She was married Oct. 20, 1898, to Charles W. Homan, who died in 1945.

Mrs. Homan was a member of the Otterville Presbyterian Church.

She is survived by one daughter, Mrs. Alice Manning, 708 East 16th, with whom she had made her home for the past 15 years; and one granddaughter, Mrs. Ralph (Anna) Kurtz, Knob Noster.

Funeral services will be held at the Presbyterian Church in Otterville at 1 p.m. Saturday. The Rev. Farrie Cole Jr., will officiate, assisted by the Rev. John Treece, pastor of the Otterville Presbyterian Church.

Burial will be in the IOOF Cemetery, Otterville.

The body is at the Ewing Funeral Home where the family will receive friends from 7 to 8:30 a.m. Friday.

The body will lie in state at the church from noon to 1 p.m. Saturday.

Mrs. Josephine G. Steele

KANSAS CITY — Mrs. Josephine G. Steele, 63, died Thursday morning at St. Joseph's Hospital here.

She was born Aug. 18, 1908, near Hughesville, daughter of the late Oscar S. and Anna R. Siron. On Feb. 22, 1931, she was married to Charles Leslie Steele, Kansas City, who survives, of the home.

She attended LaMonte High School and Sedalia Business College.

She was a member of the Independence Avenue Baptist Church and instructed classes in ceramics for the past several years.

Also surviving are one daughter, Mrs. Frank Shortino, Kansas City; two sons, Charles L. Steele Jr., Indianapolis, Ind.; Richard Steele, Kansas City; four brothers, Claude Siron, 1400 South Warren, Sedalia; Charles Siron, Route 4, Sedalia; Kenneth Siron, LaMonte; Harold Siron, Kansas City; five sisters, Mrs. Lon Slaton, 1614 South Park, Sedalia; Mrs. Leonard Hall, 1011 Thompson Blvd., Sedalia; Mrs. Norman Rayl, Marshall; Mrs. Charles Richey, Independence; Mrs. John Mittenberg, Moberly; and eight grandchildren.

Funeral services will be held at 11:30 a.m. Saturday at the Blackman Funeral Home, Kansas City.

Graveside services will be held at 2:30 p.m. at the Dresden Cemetery, Dresden.

Alline V. Smith

CROSS TIMBERS — Mrs. Alline V. Smith, 33, died Wednesday evening at the St. Johns Hospital, Springfield.

She was born Dec. 25, 1937, the daughter of Carl and Pauline Crawford Arnett.

She was a graduate of Cross Timbers High School and a member of the Cross Timbers Methodist Church and was a Sunday school teacher at the church. She was also worthy matron of the Eastern Star in Hermitage, Mo., and assistant 4-H leader in Cross Timbers.

She was married to Olin Smith, June 15, 1956, who survives of the home.

Also surviving are three daughters of the home, Kimberly Sue, Lisa Kay and Trina Lee; her father, Carl Arnett, Cross Timbers; one sister, Carlene Drennon, Cross Timbers; three brothers, Archie Arnett, Urbana, Mo.; Bob Arnett, Cross Timbers; and Jim Arnett, Syracuse.

Funeral services will be held at 2 p.m. Saturday at the Cross Timbers Methodist Church.

Burial will be in the Cross Timbers Cemetery.

The family will receive friends Friday evening at the Reser Funeral Home, Warsaw.

Mrs. Freda Baker

LINCOLN — Mrs. Freda Baker, 52, Lincoln, died Wednesday at the University of Missouri Medical Center, Columbia.

She was born in Kansas City, Sept. 11, 1919, daughter of Fred H. and Nancy Wyatt Schields. In 1936, she was married to John W. Baker.

Survivors include her widower, of the home; three daughters, Mrs. Pat Weaver, Kansas City, Kan.; Mrs. Bonnie Higgins, McCloud, Calif.; Miss Debbie Baker, of the home; four sons, Paul Baker, Buckner; James Baker, Kansas City, Kan.; Jerry Baker and John David Baker, both of Windsor; three brothers, Edgar Dimmitt, Buckner; James Dimmitt, Kansas City; Edward Schields, Mt. Vernon; one sister, Mrs. Verna Mae Staples, St. Louis; and 20 grandchildren.

Funeral services will be held at 2 p.m. Friday at the Fred Davis and Son Funeral Home in Lincoln with the Rev. Eugene Rodewald officiating.

Burial will be in the Lincoln Cemetery.

Mrs. Allie Mae Lawson

TIPTON — Mrs. Allie Mae Lawson, 94, died at 9:30 a.m. Thursday at the Cooper County Hospital, Boonville, where she had been a patient for the last two weeks.

She was born Jan. 26, 1877, in Pisgah, Mo., daughter of the late Rufus and Rachel Albin Cobb. She was married to Estell Lawson, who preceded her in death on Aug. 20, 1941.

She was a member of the First Christian Church in Tipton.

Survivors include two daughters, Mrs. Roy Beryl Springer and Mrs. Roy Florence Bookout, Tipton; two sisters, Mrs. Mamie Talley, Norman, Okla.; Mrs. Eunice Box, Hobbs, N.M.; one brother, Sid Cobb, Tipton; six grand children and 16 great-grandchildren.

Funeral arrangements are incomplete.

The body is at the Conn Funeral Home, Tipton.

Milton P. Shores

VERSAILLES — Milton P. Shores, 78, Barnett, died Wednesday at Memorial Community Hospital at Jefferson City.

He was born in Kansas City, Kan., Oct. 4, 1893, son of the late John W. and Adelia Ladd Shores. On Feb. 4, 1945, he married Ester B. Cole, who survives of the home.

Mr. Shores was a member of the Barnett Masonic Lodge 591; Eastern Star; Scottish Rite and the United Methodist Church of Versailles.

Also surviving are two sons, Melton P. Shores, Jr., Eldon; Robert L. Shores, Barnett; one granddaughter and three great-grandchildren.

Masonic services will be at 7 p.m. Saturday at the Kidwell Funeral Home, Versailles.

Funeral services will be held at 1:30 p.m. Sunday at the church with the Rev. Frank Ebright officiating.

Burial will be in the Versailles Cemetery.

L. M. (Roy) Lewis

Funeral services for L. M. (Roy) Lewis, 80, a former Sedalian who died at Phoenix, Ariz., Tuesday afternoon, will be held at the Ewing Funeral Home at 1:30 p.m. Friday. The Rev. Charles Hendrickson, pastor of the Calvary Baptist Church, will officiate.

Pallbearers will be U. L. Howerton, Walter Loveland, Lawrence Englund, Lon Morris, Raymond Fulks and Ernest Crum.

Burial will be in the Crown Hill Cemetery.

Mrs. Lillian Elsie Dutton

Funeral services for Mrs. Lillian Elsie Dutton, 75, 1301 East Sixth, who died Tuesday evening at Bothwell Hospital, will be held at 1:30 p.m. Saturday at the Heckart-Gillespie Funeral Home with the Rev. Ray Gipson officiating.

Burial will be in Crown Hill Cemetery.

The family will receive friends from 7 to 8:30 p.m. Friday.

Mrs. Gladys Jenkins

Funeral services for Mrs. Gladys Jenkins, Lee's Summit, who died Tuesday at Jackson County Hospital, will be held at 1:30 p.m. Friday at the Heckart-Gillespie Funeral Home with the Rev. Gene Parrott officiating.

Burial will be in Memorial Park Cemetery.

Orval L. Pasley

PEKIN, Ill. — Funeral services for Orval L. Pasley, 67, formerly of Sedalia, who died at his home Monday, were held at 1 p.m. Thursday in Pekin.

Burial was in Pekin.

Frank Brennon

CROSS TIMBERS — Funeral services for Frank Brennon, 75, who died at the Wetzel Hospital, Clinton, early Wednesday morning, were held at 11 a.m. Friday at the Cross Timbers Methodist Church.

Burial was in the Cross Timbers Cemetery.

Charley W. Miller

CROSS TIMBERS — Funeral services for Charley W. Miller, 88, who died Tuesday at Research Hospital, Kansas City, where he had been a patient for the past month, will be held at 2:30 p.m. Friday at the Cross Timbers Methodist Church.

Burial will be in the Hermitage Cemetery.

Introduce State Fair Receipts Bill

JEFFERSON CITY, Mo., (AP) — A bill to give state fair receipts directly to the state Department of Agriculture without any legislative action was introduced in the Missouri House of Representatives Thursday.

It would also eliminate the present $1 limit on admission tickets.

Now the money from admissions, concessions and exhibits goes into the state fair fees fund but the legislature must appropriate it before the Department of Agriculture can use it.

Another new House bill Thursday would create a five-member review board to hear prisoner grievances or complaints about conditions in Missouri's correctional institutions.

The board's director could dismiss a complaint if he found it frivolous or without merit or he could refer it to the board. If the board found some merit in the complaint it could make recommendations to the director of corrections.

THE WEEKLY DEMOCRAT

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Program Originator Is Source of Local Dispute

Program origination by Cablevision Inc., begun about four weeks ago, has again brought the firm up against a city ordinance which originally gave the company its franchise.

To complicate the situation, the cable television firm is in a position where federal and local laws conflict.

Early this year, the Federal Communications Commission was enforcing a regulation demanding local telecasting by cable television firms with 3,500 subscribers or more. That regulation, calling for mandatory compliance, was later deemed outside of the power of the FCC.

Cablevision was working on its studio facilities at the time of the decision and planned to go ahead after the court decision was announced.

Cablevision Manager Jim Adkisson said he was concerned about the status of local telecasting so he checked with experts in the CATV field and later was sent a copy of a letter from the FCC about such broadcasts.

In the letter, Ben F. Waple, an attorney for the FCC, referred to the change in FCC rules. "More recently, in clarification ... this Commission ruled that local authorities are pre-empted from interfering with federally authorized CATV origination and advertising," Waple wrote.

The city's contention that telecasting should cease is based on section 16 of the ordinance regulating Cablevision, Inc. "Grantee shall not provide to its customers or subscribers any programs originating in its own studios or any studio under its control, directly or indirectly, by contract, lease, agreement or otherwise, excepting only weather reports, educational television programs and emergency police reports," the ordinance says.

Mayor Jerry Jones said he had sent a letter to Cablevision Monday requesting compliance with the city ordinance. "They are in violation of the ordinance and we expect them to comply," he said.

Adkisson said he had received the letter, but the request would not affect the firm's telecasting activities. "We have our authority from the FCC to operate and the city is wrong on this," he said.

Adkisson said that not only would the company continue to telecast, but it also did not feel bound to another section of the city ordinance which prohibits the sale of advertising by the local firm. He indicated that so far only educational programs had been presented on the cable television channel, but he did not rule out the possibility of sponsored programs in the future.

The firm has been doing public service broadcasting and "we've been on the air for four weeks and have averaged about 30 minutes a week," Adkisson said.

Meanwhile, the status of a suit filed in Pettis County Circuit Court remains in doubt. Cablevision asked for a declaratory judgment against the city, asserting that a "third class municipality has no power to regulate such rates."

The case stems from a controversy between the city and Cablevision after the company hiked its rates by $1 a month effective Aug. 1, disregarding a city ordinance forbidding a rate increase without City Council approval.

Annual Party For Bankers Is Held

More than 200 bank directors, employes and their wives attended the annual Pettis-Benton counties bankers Christmas party Wednesday evening at the Old Missouri Homestead.

Bob McDonald, executive vice-president of Third National Bank, was the chairman of the committee which arranged the party.

The party, which has been an annual gathering of bankers in the two counties for nearly 40 years, was entertained by the Jack Janes orchestra of Sedalia, according to Bob Mason, vice-president of Union Savings Bank.

Foreign Aid Compromise Is Reached

WASHINGTON (AP) — Congress moved to the brink of adjournment Thursday night with an agreement on the longstalled foreign aid bill after the House voted to reject total U.S. withdrawal from Indochina in six months.

Within two hours of the 130-101 House vote, Senate-House conferees reached agreement on a compromise $2.75 billion foreign aid authorization bill stripped of the Mansfield end-the-war amendment.

The Senate plans to pass the compromise authorization measure Friday morning, then give its approval to a bill providing temporary foreign aid funding until early 1972. The House has already passed that bill.

Then, the way should be clear for Congress to adjourn until Jan. 18.

The House won't take up the compromise authorization measure until that time with its leaders obviously unwilling to bring it up now with so few members on hand. The measure passed by only eight votes when it was originally considered in August.

Sen. J. W. Fulbright, D-Ark., said the Senate conferees decided to drop the Mansfield amendment because its chief sponsor, Democratic Leader Mike Mansfield, "said it was the closest we could get" to a direct vote.

Former Sedalian Is Killed

A Springfield man killed Wednesday when high winds demolished his house trailer was a former Sedalian.

John Rucker, 63, a self-employed sign painter, lived in Sedalia until 1953.

He was born Sept. 7, 1906, in Sedalia, son of Joseph and Mary Rucker. He married the former Miss Kathryn Emily Brown in 1933. She preceded him in death in 1968. He remarried in 1969.

His widow, Mrs. Mary Rucker, was taken to Cox Memorial Hospital, Springfield, after the tornado. She required 70 stitches in her left leg and had cuts on her right foot, chin and right thigh. She remains in serious condition at the hospital.

Mr. Rucker is survived by one daughter, Mrs. Patricia Barnes, Ash Grove; one son, Richard C. Rucker, Troy; and one sister, Mrs. Madge Dickinson, Redding, Calif.

Funeral services will be held at 2 p.m. Friday at the Herman Loymeier Funeral Home in Springfield with the Rev. Wilbur Wills officiating.

Burial will be in St. Mary's Cemetery in Springfield.

Denton Case Scheduled For Trial

A preliminary hearing for Billy Wayne Denton, Route 2, charged with second degree burglary and stealing, was held in Magistrate Court Thursday morning. The case was bound over to Circuit Court for trial.

The charges stem from an alleged burglary of the Sedalia Neon Co., 108 South Lamine, on Nov. 24. Will Finley, a partner in the firm, testified he found some money missing from the cash drawer and a window broken when he came to work on the morning in question.

Det. Sgt. Perry Franklin of the Sedalia Police Department told of reading his rights to Denton at the police station later the same morning, then questioning Denton. He indicated Denton had admitted taking the money, about $3. Denton did not testify.

He is free on $1,000 bond.

Four other cases scheduled for hearing Thursday were continued to indefinite dates. The cases are: L. B. Houk, 2725 South Grand, and James I. Cranfield, 1412½ South Ohio, charged with certain irregularities in alleged possession of deer meat. This continuance was on request of their defense attorney William F. Brown.

Linda Wasson, 18, 906 East Fourth, charged with the purchase of intoxicating liquor by a minor, was continued on request of her defense attorney, James Durley. Ronnie B. Lutjen, 620 North Quincy, charged with second degree burglary, was continued on request of his defense attorney, Sam Harlan.

Court Hears Conservation Infractions

Four cases involving infractions of the Missouri conservation code were disposed of in Magistrate Court Thursday morning.

Three men, charged separately with hunting and taking rabbit from a motor vehicle at night, did not appear and their $35.50 bonds were ordered forfeited.

They were Ralph I. Shull, Route 1, Smithton; Charles W. Shull, Route 5, Sedalia; and John E. Shull, Route 1, Smithton. The alleged offenses were committed near Beaman Dec. 1.

Edgar W. Holke, High Ridge, charged with hunting upland game with an unplugged, semi-automatic shotgun, did not appear and his $15.50 bond was ordered forfeited. This alleged offense occurred Dec. 11 about five miles south of Green Ridge.

All complaints were filed on request of Chester Vermaas, local conservation agent.

Heavy Liquidation On Wheat Futures

CHICAGO (AP) — The expiring December wheat futures option came under heavy liquidation on the Chicago Board of Trade Thursday and declined 7⅞ cents a bushel.

Other wheat futures options fell back around 2⅜ cents. Corn closed up to 1 cent lower but oats were irregular. Soybeans gained 2 cents.

NOTICE OF HEARING ON
SALE OF REAL PROPERTY
STATE OF MISSOURI,
COUNTY OF PETTIS, ss.
IN THE PROBATE COURT OF
PETTIS COUNTY, MISSOURI

To all persons interested in the estate of Maude Katherine Batchelder, deceased. Estate No. 14489.

Pursuant to the order of the aforesaid court, entered on December 9, 1971, you are hereby notified that on the 17th day of January, 1972, at 10 o'clock A.M., in the courtroom of said court in the city of Sedalia, Missouri, a hearing will be had to determine if the right, title and interest of said decedent in and to the following described real property, to-wit:

The Southwest Quarter of the Northeast Quarter and the North Half of the Northwest Quarter of the Southeast Quarter of Section 33, Township 47, Range 22 in Pettis County, Missouri,

shall be sold for the payment of claims allowed against the estate, expenses of administration including court costs, and inheritance taxes.

Dated this 13th day of December, 1971.

Lloyd R. Farris, Administrator

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'Toll Booths' Help

Students from Smith-Cotton High School will man toll booths at the intersections of Third and Kentucky and Fourth and Osage Saturday as part of a fund drive for the Children's Therapy Center.

The toll booth project is sponsored by the Smith-Cotton Student Council. The booths will be open from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m.

NOTICE OF FILING OF FINAL
SETTLEMENT AND PETITION
FOR DISTRIBUTION
STATE OF MISSOURI,
COUNTY OF PETTIS, ss.
IN THE PROBATE COURT OF PETTIS
COUNTY, MISSOURI AT SEDALIA

In the estate of IDA DAVIS EDWARDS, deceased. Estate No. 13,581.

To all persons interested in the estate of Ida Davis Edwards, deceased.

Notice is hereby given that a final settlement and petition for determination of the persons who are the successors in interest to the personal and real property of the decedent and of the extent and character of their interests therein and for distribution of such property, will be filed in the Probate Court of Pettis County, Missouri by the undersigned on the 18th day of January, 1972 or as continued by the court, and that any objections or exceptions to such settlement or petition or any item thereof must be in writing and filed within ten days after the filing of such settlement.

Lawrence Barnett, Administrator DBN
118 West 5th Street,
Sedalia, Missouri 65301
Telephone Number: 826-5428

Lawrence Barnett, Attorney
118 West 5th Street
Sedalia, Missouri
Telephone Number 826-5428
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NOTICE OF LETTERS
TESTAMENTARY GRANTED
STATE OF MISSOURI
COUNTY OF PETTIS—ss.
IN THE PROBATE COURT OF PETTIS
COUNTY, MISSOURI

In the Estate of KATE HOWE, Deceased.
Estate No. 14,597

To all persons interested in the estate of Kate Howe, decedent:

On the 14th day of December, 1971, the last Will of Kate Howe was admitted to probate and Thomas T. Keating was appointed the executor of the estate of Kate Howe decedent, by the probate court of Pettis County, Missouri, on the 14th day of December, 1971. The business address of the executor is 110 East 5th St., Sedalia, Missouri, whose telephone number is 826-8112 and the attorneys are: Durley and Keating whose business address is 110 East 5th St., Sedalia, Missouri, and whose telephone number is 826-8112.

All creditors of said decedent are notified to file claims in court within six months from the date of this notice or be forever barred.

All persons interested are notified that such court, at the times and as provided by law, will determine the persons who are the successors in interest to the personal and real property of the decedent and of the extent and character of their interests therein.

LEO J. HARNED, Probate Judge
By: Ila Rymer, Clerk
Probate Court of Pettis County, Missouri
(SEAL)
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NOTICE OF LETTERS
TESTAMENTARY GRANTED
STATE OF MISSOURI
COUNTY OF PETTIS—ss.
IN THE PROBATE COURT OF
PETTIS COUNTY, MISSOURI

In the Estate of JAMES E. PITTMAN, Deceased.

Estate No. 14,592

To all persons interested in the estate of James E. Pittman, decedent:

On the 15th day of December, 1971, the last Will of James E. Pittman was admitted to probate and Mary S. Pittman was appointed the executrix of the estate of James E. Pittman decedent, by the probate court of Pettis County, Missouri, on the 15th day of December, 1971. The business address of the executrix is 2008 So. Harrison, Sedalia, Missouri, and the attorneys are: Durley and Keating whose business address is 110 East 5th St., Sedalia, Missouri, and whose telephone number is 826-8112.

All creditors of said decedent are notified to file claims in court within six months from the date of this notice or be forever barred.

All persons interested are notified that such court, at the times and as provided by law, will determine the persons who are the successors in interest to the personal and real property of the decedent and of the extent and character of their interests therein.

LEO J. HARNED, Probate Judge
By: Ila Rymer, Clerk
Probate Court of Pettis County, Missouri
(SEAL)
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NOTICE OF APPOINTMENT
OF GUARDIAN
STATE OF MISSOURI,
COUNTY OF PETTIS—ss.
IN THE PROBATE COURT OF PETTIS
COUNTY, MISSOURI
Estate No. 14,590

In the estate of ROGER M. RENFROW, Incompetent

To all persons interested in the estate of Roger M. Renfrow, Incompetent:

On the 15th day of December, 1971, Ruth Renfrow was appointed guardian of the person and estate of Roger M. Renfrow, a person adjudicated incompetent under the laws of Missouri, by the Probate Court of Pettis County, Missouri. The business address of the guardian is 1615 So. Warren, Sedalia, Missouri, and her attorney is Henry C. Salveter, whose address is 3rd National Bank Bld., Sedalia, Missouri, and whose telephone number is 826-0611.

All creditors of said incompetent are notified to file their claims in the Probate Court within nine months from the date of first publication of this notice or be forever barred.

LEO J. HARNED, Probate Judge
By: Ila Rymer, Clerk
Probate Court of Pettis County, Missouri
(SEAL)
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NOTICE OF LETTERS
TESTAMENTARY GRANTED
STATE OF MISSOURI
COUNTY OF PETTIS—ss.
IN THE PROBATE COURT OF
PETTIS COUNTY, MISSOURI

In the estate of GRACE E. SPENCER, deceased.

Estate No. 14,582

To all persons interested in the estate of Grace E. Spencer, decedent:

On the 17th day of November, 1971, the last Will of Grace E. Spencer was admitted to probate and Eleanor Davison Hamilton was appointed the executrix of the estate of Grace E. Spencer, decedent, by the probate court of Pettis County, Missouri, on the 17th day of November, 1971. The business address of the executrix is Green Top Farm, Richmond, Missouri, whose telephone number is 776-3567 and the attorney is Henry C. Salveter whose business address is Third National Bank Bldg., Sedalia, Missouri, and whose telephone number is 826-0611.

All creditors of said decedent are notified to file claims in court within six months from the date of this notice or be forever barred.

All persons interested are notified that such court, at the times and as provided by law, will determine the persons who are the successors in interest to the personal and real property of the decedent and of the extent and character of their interests therein.

LEO J. HARNED,
Probate Judge
By: Ila Rymer, Clerk
Probate Court of Pettis County, Missouri
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NOTICE OF LETTERS OF
ADMINISTRATION GRANTED
STATE OF MISSOURI
COUNTY OF PETTIS—ss.
IN THE PROBATE COURT OF
PETTIS COUNTY, MISSOURI

In the estate of CLYDE B. NICEWARNER, Deceased.

Estate No. 14,587

To all persons interested in the estate of Clyde B. Nicewarner, decedent:

On the 30th day of November, 1971 Delia M. Nicewarner was appointed the administratrix of the estate of Clyde B. Nicewarner, decedent, by the Probate Court of Pettis County, Missouri. The business address of the administratrix is 1317 South Park, Sedalia, Missouri, whose telephone number is 826-3793 and the attorney is Donald Barnes, whose business address is 118 West 5th St., Sedalia, Missouri, and whose telephone number is 826-5428.

All creditors of said decedent are notified to file claims in court within six months from the date of this notice or be forever barred.

All persons interested are notified that such court, at the times and as provided by law, will determine the persons who are the successors in interest to the personal and real property of the decedent and of the extent and character of their interests therein.

LEO J. HARNED,
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Probate Court of Pettis County, Missouri
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NOTICE OF LETTERS
TESTAMENTARY GRANTED
STATE OF MISSOURI
COUNTY OF PETTIS, ss.
IN THE PROBATE COURT OF PETTIS
COUNTY, MISSOURI

In the Estate of MARY LEE CUSTER, Deceased. Estate No. 14,570

To all persons interested in the estate of Mary Lee Custer, decedent:

On the 8th day of November, 1971, the last Will of Mary Lee Custer was admitted to probate and Margaret V. Rogers was appointed the executrix of the estate of Mary Lee Custer, decedent, by the probate court of Pettis County, Missouri, on the 2nd day of December, 1971. The business address of the executrix is Route 2, Bunceton, Missouri, whose telephone number is 366-4387 (Otterville) and the attorney is Hampton Tisdale whose business address is Kemper State Bank Bldg., Boonville, Missouri, and whose telephone number is 882-5611.

All creditors of said decedent are notified to file claims in court within six months from the date of this notice or be forever barred.

All persons interested are notified that such court, at the times and as provided by law, will determine the persons who are the successors in interest to the personal and real property of the decedent and of the extent and character of their interests therein.

LEO J. HARNED,
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FOR DISTRIBUTION
STATE OF MISSOURI,
COUNTY OF PETTIS, ss.
IN THE PROBATE COURT OF PETTIS
COUNTY, MISSOURI AT SEDALIA

In the estate of GRACIE BOZARTH, deceased. Estate No. 14,512

TO ALL PERSONS INTERESTED IN THE ESTATE OF GRACIE BOZARTH, deceased.

Notice is hereby given that a final settlement and petition for determination of the persons who are the successors in interest to the personal and real property of the decedent and of the extent and character of their interests therein and for distribution of such property, will be filed in the Probate Court of Pettis County, Missouri, by the undersigned on the 10th day of January, 1972, or as continued by the court, and that any objections or exceptions to such settlement or petition or any item thereof must be in writing and filed within ten days after the filing of such settlement.

Stella Wasson, Executrix
123 East Saline
Sedalia, Mo.

Durley & Keating
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Sedalia, Mo.
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IN THE PROBATE COURT OF PETTIS
COUNTY, MISSOURI AT SEDALIA

In the estate of JEWELL HARTER THOMAS, deceased. Estate No. 14,509

To all persons interested in the estate of JEWELL HARTER THOMAS, deceased.

Notice is hereby given that a final settlement and petition for determination of the persons who are the successors in interest to the personal and real property of the decedent and of the extent and character of their interest therein and for distribution of such property, will be filed in the Probate Court of Pettis County, Missouri, by the undersigned on the 28th day of December, 1971, or as continued by the Court, and that any objections or exceptions to such settlement or petition or any item thereof must be in writing and filed within ten days after the filing of such settlement.

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Springfield, Missouri

John C. McCloskey, Attorney at Law
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IN THE PROBATE COURT OF PETTIS
COUNTY, MISSOURI AT SEDALIA

In the Estate of THOMAS M. STEVENS, deceased, Estate No. 14506.

To all persons interested in the estate of Thomas M. Stevens, deceased.

Notice is hereby given that a final settlement and petition for determination of the persons who are the successors in interest to the personal and real property of the decedent and of the extent and character of their interests therein and for distribution of such property, will be filed in the Probate Court of Pettis County, Missouri by the undersigned on the 3rd day of January, 1972 or as continued by the court and that any objections must be in writing and filed within ten days after the filing of such settlement.

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Sedalia, Missouri
Telephone Number826-7944

Robert L Wesner, Attorney
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Sedalia, Missouri
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COUNTY, MISSOURI AT SEDALIA

In the estate of JESSIE BOWSER COLLINS, deceased. Estate No. 14,501.

To all persons interested in the estate of Jessie Bowser Collins, deceased.

Notice is hereby given that a final settlement and petition for determination of the persons who are the successors in interest to the personal and real property of the decedent and of the extent and character of their interests therein and for distribution of such property, will be filed in the Probate Court of Pettis County, Missouri by the undersigned on the 10th day of January, 1972 or as continued by the court, and that any objections or exceptions to such settlement or petition or any item thereof must be in writing and filed within ten days after the filing of such settlement.

Mary Kay Wade, Administratrix WWA
Lot 145, Shaky Lake Estates
Columbia, Missouri

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FOR EILEEN FULTON, *star of* "As the World Turns"

Since you play the wicked role of Lisa on the country's top TV soap opera, do viewers ever get angry with you when they meet you in real life?—William Jackson, Dothan, Ala.

● Do they! I've been struck in the face, hit over the head and chased after with a torrent of blasphemous remarks. One afternoon a woman approached me as I was leaving a department store in New York and said, "Are you Lisa?" I smiled and said, "Yes, that's the role I play." Before I knew what was happening she cracked me over the head with her umbrella. Another time when I was singing in Chicago, a woman sitting with her husband suddenly hit him on the arm and said, "See? I told you she's no good! Here she is singing in a night club, and she's supposed to be happily married to John Eldridge." (Lisa was married to him at that time.) In fact, there was a period of three or four months, when I was playing a particularly nasty Lisa, that I received so many notes threatening to take my life that *CBS* had to hire a bodyguard to protect me.



FOR JAMES M. ROCHE,
Chairman of the Board, General Motors Corporation

When General Motors issues a "recall of thousands of cars" for corrections, how many usually come in for adjustment?—Harry L. Ross, Atlantic City, N.J.

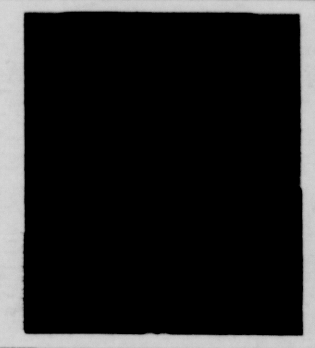
● About eight percent of the newer model cars that are recalled actually are brought in by their owners for adjustment. If cars are four or five years old when they're recalled, many have changed hands, and the owners are unreachable.



FOR GOVERNOR RONALD REAGAN

Is it true that you and Mrs. Reagan do not fly in the same plane together?—D. Schwartz, Claremont, Calif.

● My wife and I do not fly together unless our two children, Patricia and Ronald, accompany us.



FOR GALE SAYERS, *Chicago Bears halfback*

What has been the most successful exercise or drill to improve your unique moves on the field?—Rick Hifferman, Council Bluffs, Iowa

● There are no exercises or drills that can develop moves for a runner in football. This ability is inherent in an athlete, and I am fortunate that I was blessed with it.



FOR JOHN V. LINDSAY, *Mayor of New York City*

In January, 1971, you said it was not viable to run for President as a Democrat because you were an enrolled Republican. Since you have changed parties, how do you feel now?—F. McDermott, Mt. Pleasant, Mich.

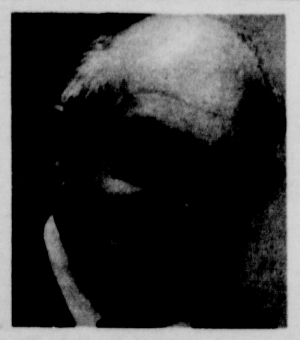
● I am determined to play a role in the nation in 1972, but I have not defined yet what that role will be. I may run in the Democratic primaries, if I conclude that would be the most effective way to get my message across.



FOR SHELLEY WINTERS, *actress*

I am surprised when I see good actors and actresses on mediocre made-for-TV movies. How do you feel about them? —Mrs. R. M. Peters, Sacramento, Calif.

● I think they're important, not only because they give so many members of our industry who are out of work a job, but because they offer viewers about the only drama they are likely to see on television.



FOR OSCAR HANDLIN, *historian at Harvard University*

Who was the first President's daughter to be married in the White House? How many have been married there?—Mrs. A. Rohrs, Tallahassee, Fla.

● Maria Monroe was the first President's daughter to be married in the White House in 1820. There have been eight married in the White House since then.



FOR RONALD ZIEGLER, *Presidential Press Secretary*

What sort of work did the President do to earn spending money as a boy?—R. L. Hunt, Dover, Del.

● He sometimes picked citrus fruit or sold magazine subscriptions door to door to earn spending money as a boy in Whittier.



FOR JOHN SACK, *coauthor of "Lt. Calley: His Own Story"*

I read that Lt. Calley and you received a $100,000 advance on your book. Don't you find it disgusting that Calley will be financially comfortable because of his participation in the My Lai massacre?—L. D. Rogers, Niagara Falls, N.Y.

● Lt. Calley will not be made financially comfortable by his share of the royalties. Most of the money he received will be paid to lawyers who worked for his defense.



FOR LOWELL THOMAS, *author, adventurer*

In this column, you said that the most fascinating place in the world is Tibet. Don't you know that Tibet is actually a part of China?—T. L. Chou, San Luis Obispo, Calif.

● When my son (Alaskan Sen. Lowell Thomas, Jr.) and I visited Lhasa in 1949, Tibet *was* an independent country. A few months later it was over-run by Mao Tse Tung's army. While the Tibetans are of Mongolian origin, they are no more like the Chinese than the Swedes are like the French. Their language is different, and they have their own culture. They are a great people and should be permitted to govern their own country.

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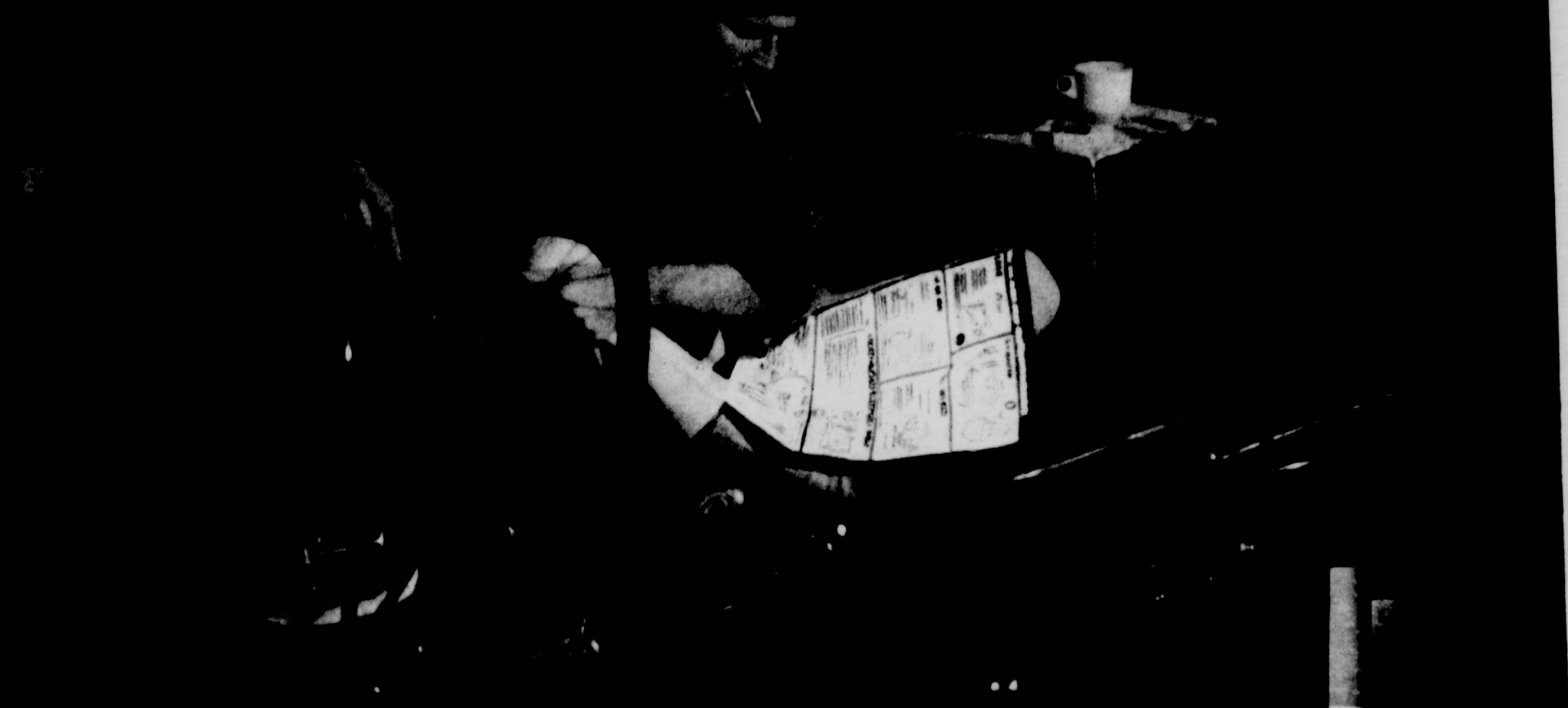
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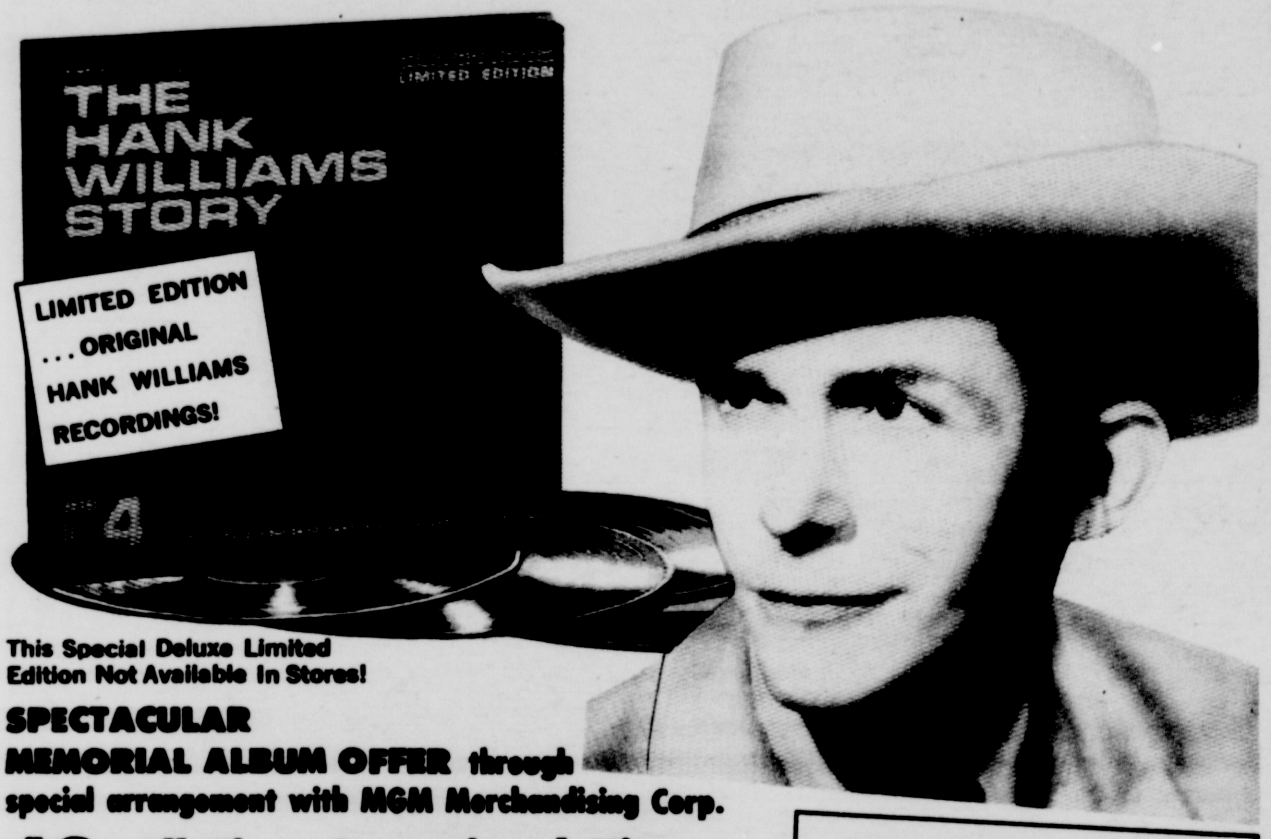
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Daddy was the big chief, and he carved the tremendous turkey. All the time he was cutting the bird, he was joking and laughing, especially with the little ones who had one eye on Daddy and the other on the presents stacked under the tree.

After dinner, the presents were given out. Daddy was Santa Claus without a beard. Again, it was fun because he made it a game. He would look at one of the children and say, "This is for .....," then he'd give the present to someone else. He made giving and receiving an extra-special joy. Afterward, we all went to Church.

Christmas Day was very informal. In the morning, we found our Christmas stockings filled, and we knew Santa Claus had been on the scene. All through the day, 78 Lennons, all of whom lived in the vicinity of our house, dropped in to share the warmth of the holiday. Daddy kept remarking what a treat it was for us to all share the beautiful holidays together. He recalled the years when we had very little to give one another—when he and Mother scrimped and saved to give us each two dollars to buy gifts.

That was Daddy's last Christmas. As you may remember reading in the papers, in 1969 he was murdered by a deranged man. This year, brother Don will be carving the turkey and handing out the presents. We will be together as a group; we will share the love and spirit of the holiday and we will be happy. We know that Daddy is at peace—but he will also be with us, and the Lennons will continue to remain a complete family.

Christmas"– Six Great Days Relived

Collected by Martin Abramson

It has been said that every Christmas is the same. Yet most people have experienced one particular Christmas that stood out from all the rest. Here, exclusively for Family Weekly, a number of prominent Americans recall "that one special Christmas" that had an unusual impact on their lives.



BY LUCI JOHNSON NUGENT
"It Was a Day of Firsts and Lasts"

My most memorable Christmas was the Christmas of 1968. It was a Christmas filled with firsts and lasts. Such situations make a holiday memorable no matter whether the memories are of a good or bad nature.

It was the first Christmas that my small son of 18 months could open his presents and squeal with delight. It was also the first Christmas he had spent without his father, who was then serving in Vietnam. It was also the first Christmas that my sister's child had experienced–and her father was in Vietnam, too. It was the first Christmas that we had Mass served in the White House, and my whole family attended, even though they are Protestant. It was the first Christmas that my husband had ever spent away from his family, and yet he was fortunate to spend it with his brother-in-law. It was the first Christmas that all of us at the White House had hung up stockings by the chimney. It was also the last Christmas that I would spend in the hallowed halls of America's first house and the last Christmas that I would get to hug the truly magnificent people who take care of the President and his family.

Though it was inevitable that this Christmas would not be as joyous as many others–with Patrick and Chuck in Vietnam–I found myself unbelievably in love with life. When I dropped into church after shopping all day a few days before Christmas, I sat almost in complete solitude and took a few moments out to think. I realized then that I could be just as happy that Christmas as I chose to be. The firsts in my life took on the magic that a great first experience can have, and my lasts were either beginnings of a new chapter or the end of a fortunate experience in life.



BY PAT NIXON
"A Family Christmas in the White House"

Christmas for us is traditionally a family time–a sentimental time–each year bringing new joys to add to our memories of Christmas past.

Our first Christmas at the White House, in December of 1969, will always hold a special place in our personal family reflections. While preparing the tree and decorations of this residence, a particularly reverent aura of history seemed present in each room. Although much political history has been made behind the White House's doors, it is often forgotten that the mansion has been a home for many families over the past 170 years. Families like ours, which have felt the unique blend of yuletide nostalgia and historical perspective.

We found most rewarding the opportunity to share with others the pride and sentiment of this historical atmosphere. Children of foreign diplomats filled the halls with laughter and excitement. Members of Congress, the Cabinet, White House staff and their families enjoyed the spirit of the season at White House worship services. And thousands of Americans passed through the state rooms enhanced by the soft glow of candlelight.

Surrounded by reminders of American tradition, our family will always remember our first White House Christmas because we shared it with so many.



BY MRS. BING CROSBY
"My Turning Point Was at Sacre Coeur"

I looked forward from years of warm Christmases in West Columbia, Texas, with Aunt Frances and Uncle Leon driving in from the valley like a pair of Santa Clauses, with my brother and sister and the cousins and aunts and uncles from Louisiana and the Gulf Coast of Texas–all meeting at our big house where mother and the aunts were preparing our big Christmas Eve dinner.

I look back from a series of Crosby Christmases–the wonderful ones when the boys and their wives and young children joined us for dinner after Christmas Day Mass at Bing's big house in Holmby Hills, where Bing's mother was the queen of the household.

The Christmas that brought these two different kinds of family scenes together in my mind was one that happened to me in 1955. I was on a USO tour of France and Germany and visited 21 camps in 20 days. We saw a lot of homesick soldiers there, and the fact that we could bring them a little cheer made up for the fact that this was one of the few Christmases of my life when I was without my family.

On Christmas Day I found my way to Sacre Coeur, the beautiful white church in Paris. I heard the music, looked at the nativity scene and felt that baby Jesus is all over the world for all of us–and that we are all members of God's family.



SEN. BIRCH BAYH (Indiana)
"Guess Who's Coming to Dinner?"

Soon after my wife Marvella and I were married, we began a tradition of hosting her parents and mine at Christmas dinner. We would remain home in Terre Haute, Ind., and welcome my folks from Washington and Marvella's from Oklahoma.

In 1955, however, we informed both our families that for this Christmas dinner, we would only be able to accommodate one guest. We advised the families in Washington and Oklahoma to wait for word of the guest's arrival.

Christmas dinner came and went and with the holiday nearly over, our eagerly awaited guest still had failed to put in an appearance. At 11 o'clock, however, my wife informed me that she had received certain signs indicating the guest was ready to arrive. I got out the car and escorted her to the hospital. As we entered the hospital, I noticed that the time was 15 minutes before midnight. Our Christmas day had not yet ended.

Our son Evan, born that night, was not the man who came to dinner–but almost.

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"My Favorite Christmas"

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BY GUY LOMBARDO, orchestra leader
"The Day I 'Made It' in My Parents' Eyes"

My love of music was inherited from my father, Guy Lombardo, Sr., who worked as a custom tailor in London, Ontario, but was an accomplished amateur musician. He gave me my first violin at Christmas and gave musical presents at one Christmas or another to all my four brothers and two sisters. He never anticipated, however, that we would try to make a career in music. In fact, he had misgivings when I organized some of my brothers into a traveling band.

"No matter where you go on the road, you must remember that this is your home, and it will always be here when you're ready to come back," he told us. He also cautioned us never to take a professional engagement on Christmas—that was the day for family reunion.

We traveled for countless miles during the next 20 years and always returned to Canada at Christmas time for our private family observance. Although we became increasingly successful, Dad still thought of us as "temporaries" in the insecure music business.

At long last, I decided it was time to end this pattern. I bought a big home in Old Greenwich, Conn., and informed my parents that we couldn't get back to Canada for Christmas that year. Instead, they were to join us in Connecticut. As soon as they left Canada, I had a moving van pull up to the house and take all their belongings. The moving van arrived shortly after they did, and it was then that they realized that this wasn't another rented house. "This is our permanent home—and yours, too," I told my folks. "Please understand that we've really achieved success and that we want you to enjoy it with us."

All seven Lombardo children and their families then gathered in the huge parlor, and we struck up the band. We were not playing for the public that night but for our own enjoyment. As we sang the Christmas carols, Dad's voice was louder than all the rest. When it was time to sit down to dinner, Dad said he'd like to sing a special song commemorating this first Lombardo family Christmas in the U.S. The song he sang—to the accompaniment of Lombardo's Royal Canadians—was "God Bless America."

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12. Do We Get the "Intensive Care" Feature?
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13. What Am I Paid for Less than a Month?
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14. Can Premiums Be Changed or My Policy Cancelled?
Your policy can never be singled out for change or cancellation. Rate schedule changes or cancellation could only occur for all policies like yours in your class and State upon proper notice.

15. When Do New Benefit Periods Start?
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16. What About "Pre-Existing" Conditions?
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17. Let's Have It. What Are the Exclusions?
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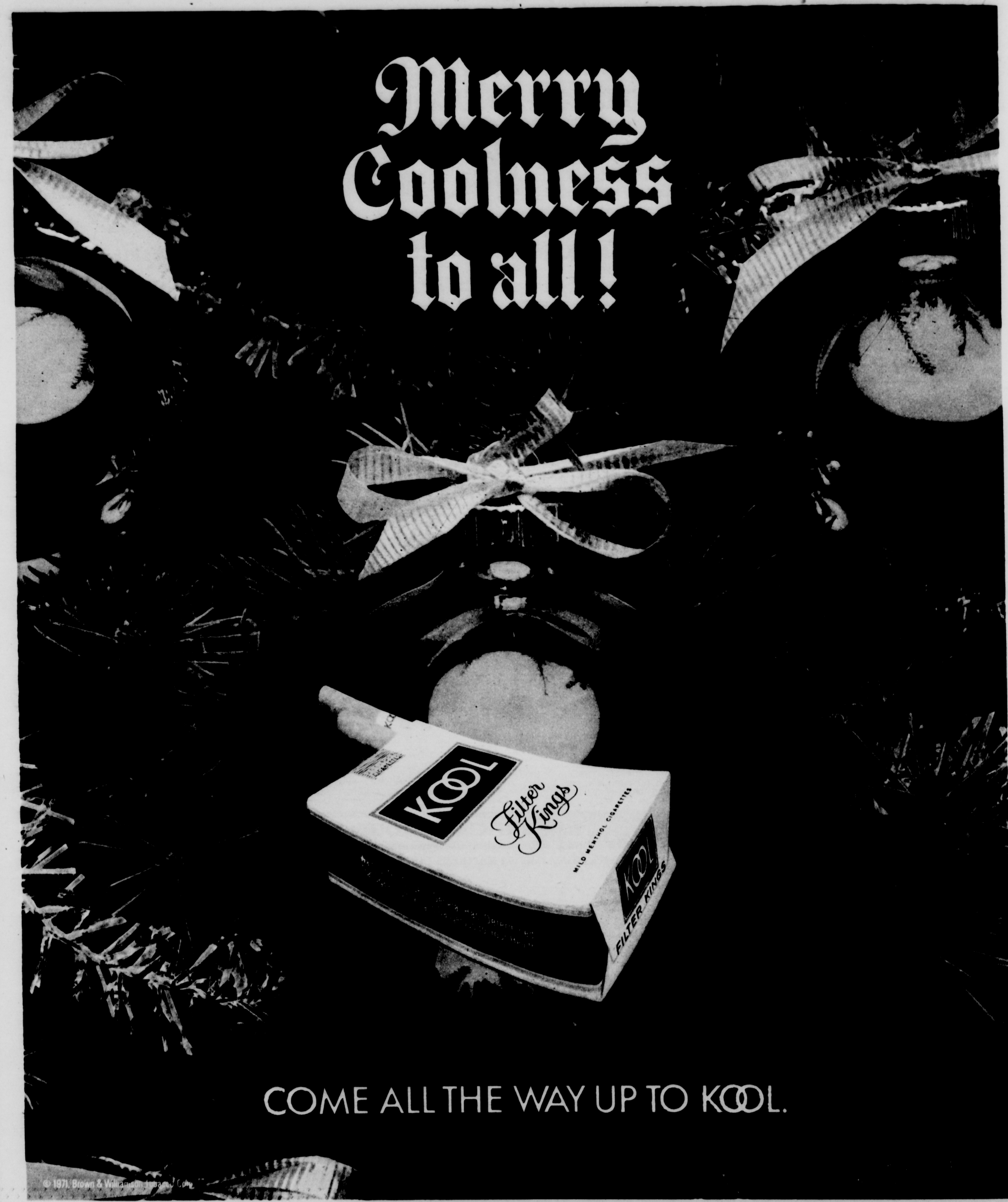
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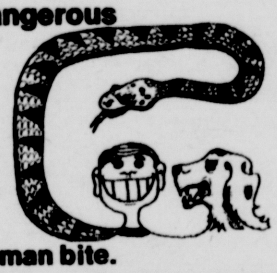
King of Stock Cars: "We've Spent Three Million Dollars to Earn One Million"



Richard Petty in 1971 had the most rewarding season of any driver in the history of the National Association for Stock Car Auto Racing (NASCAR). "King Richard" earned well over $200,000 during the year and became the first NASCAR driver to surpass the million-dollar mark in career winnings . . . Says Petty, **"If you race long enough, you'll reach certain milestones, like winning a million dollars. But setting a record for the most money in one year is more important; it means you've had the best year anybody ever had"** . . . At 34, Petty, whose curly, jet-black hair and light blue Plymouth No. 43 are well known to Southern stock-car fans, has come a long way since he **grew up in a trailer in Level Cross, N.C.** He still lives in Level Cross with his wife Lynda, their son Kyle, 11, and daughter Sharon, 10, but now they live on 22 acres of property. Richard was introduced to racing by his father, Lee, one of the early giants of the stock-car circuit. "When I was 18, I told him I wanted to race." Richard recalls. "He told me to wait until I was 21. When I was 21, I asked again. Without looking up, he said, "Okay, there's an old convertible over there. Get it ready." When Richard's winnings passed the million-dollar mark, he remarked, "We've spent three million dollars to make our cars good enough to win one million. When asked how far he wants to go in racing, Richard says ,"I'm there.' **—By Larry Bortstein**

THE DOCTOR LETS YOU IN

A Child's Bite—More Dangerous Than a Dog's?



What's the most dangerous kind of bite? Snake? Maybe. Dog? Rarely. **The one that is always severe (mothers of young children, take note!) is the human bite.**

The human mouth carries vast numbers of germs which can be extremely dangerous in a closed-off wound. Among the bacteria known to thrive in the mouth are staph, strep, gangrene, tetanus, even rabies and gonococcus.

What to do? Immediately and thoroughly **wash your wounds** under a stream of hot water with plenty of soap. Do this for 10 minutes. **Then apply hydrogen peroxide.** Don't use colored agents such as mercurochrome or merthiolate; they obscure the wound so the doctor is less sure of what he's looking at. Then go at once to your doctor or an emergency room for **antibiotics and a tetanus toxoid shot.** The doctor will want you to follow up with several visits to make sure no complications occur. **—By John J. Secondi, M.D.**

FAMILY FLAK/By Jack Tippit



"Why can't you heel like other dogs?"

THE DIET WATCH

Turn Your Anger to Advantage



Mad at somebody? Dieters should cool off, simmer down before eating. A dieter who is furious at his boss, for instance, often **turns the repressed hostility on himself and vengefully stuffs himself with food.** So do dieting daughters mad at their mothers and husbands and wives mad at each other. "More chocolate cream pies have been eaten out of angry resentment than out of pure pleasure," says one doctor. How to get rid of the hostility? **Exercise is one outlet for the adrenalin.** You'll then eat more sanely, and you'll have had exercise that has worked off some calories, toned your muscles, reduced your measurements. It's almost worth getting mad at somebody!

—By Harriet La Barre

PEOPLE AND YOU

Neighborly Love: A Wintry Blessing?



As winter arrives and sets in, you can expect your neighbors' attitude toward you to change. Though you might think that summer weather, which draws people outdoors, would encourage more neighborhood socializing, a recent University of Toronto study reveals it's not so. In June the suburban families studied reported that most of their friends and socializing occurred **outside** their neighborhood. In February the same group had reported that most of their friends lived **inside** the neighborhood. **Even the number of people "you know and say hello to" in your neighborhood drops in warm weather and rises in winter.** Therefore, as February approaches, you can depend on your neighbors noticing and appreciating you more. Now, doesn't that make you look forward to winter?

—By Shirley Sloan Fader

JOBMANSHIP

Alibi Joe: How Understanding Him Can Save You Grief



"Nobody told me it was due today." "Sales should have known it couldn't be done." "Engineering didn't send up enough facts." These words *might* have come from Alibi Joe, the employee whose self-confidence exceeds his job competence. Because he exudes so much confidence, Alibi Joe is the guy who often lands a work position that is above his actual ability. Though his coworkers rapidly size him up, in a large complex organization he may survive surprisingly long.

Though he is constantly finding blame elsewhere, Joe is not really interested in "getting" fellow workers. He has only two genuine interests: protecting his own position and preserving his own good opinion of himself. His favorite target is "they" or a whole group such as "sales." Supervisors can solve matters by placing Joe at a level where he can handle the job. **But they must also convince him that the new job is compatible with his abilities.** If he is not convinced of that, Alibi Joe becomes a **dangerous employee.** Angry about his "demeaning" new assignment, he will blast morale by constantly sniping and griping.

—By S. R. Redford

HOUSEHINTS

- To remove white water marks from furniture or varnished surfaces, apply mayonnaise to spot, rub in, let stand an hour, then remove with soft cloth. Or make a paste of cigar ashes and cooking oil and use the same way.
- Black shoe marks on tile or linoleum? A small piece of cotton moistened with furniture polish and rubbed on spot quickly removes, and won't scratch as some cleaners do.
- With winter close at hand, wax the snow shovel well so the white stuff won't stick. **—By Lee Pettee**

STAR PROFILE/By Peer Oppenheimer

TV's Barbara Eden: "By Today's Standards, I'm a Strict Mother"

"My parents always had to know where I was, and I was not allowed to stay out past 12 when I was in high school. We are raising our own child, Matthew, with love, but he has rules, and he knows it."



"I am a Christmas person," Barbara Eden told me as she was getting ready for the holiday season. "Christmas was always a big thing for me. I still have the Christmas book and the little toy train my parents gave me when I was three. Every year until I was married I celebrated with my family, and we'd read the book of Christmas stories and put out the train. Even after Michael and I were married we used to go to San Francisco and spend the holiday with my parents. Only after Matthew was born did they send us the Christmas ornaments with which we used to decorate the tree when I was a child, and the Christmas book and toy train. We will use them and keep them in trust for our children, so they can carry on the tradition. I was never alone for Christmas. I pray my children will never be, either.

Both Barbara and Michael are strong believers in Christmas, in tradition, in plain old-fashioned togetherness—which makes it all the more amazing that a nice girl like Barbara should have done so well in an industry built on toughness and exhibitionism. In fact, that's exactly what a Hollywood casting director told her when she first arrived in town.

At 17, Barbara Eden was a blonde, blue-eyed babe among wolves—Hollywood variety. Cute as a button, with a nicely developed figure but not exactly *à la* Jane Russell or Marilyn Monroe, she'd come to Tinseltown naïvely expecting to land a singing job as easily as she'd managed back home in San Francisco.

She was in for a shock. "What's a nice girl like you doing in Hollywood?" the first casting director she met wanted to know. "If you want to get any place in this business, you gotta look like this!" and he whipped out a picture of an amply endowed starlet. "That's what they want, kid. If I were you, I'd go back home and marry a nice dentist!"

But Barbara stayed. She also remained a nice girl. She moved in with her aunt and uncle in nearby San Marino and, while doing "Voice of a Turtle" at the Laguna Playhouse, was discovered by a 20th Century-Fox director who put her under contract. She went on to establish herself as a star in films, night clubs, civic light opera, theatres and eventually the hit TV show, "I Dream of Jeannie."

To Barbara, however, stardom isn't all there is to life. In the first place she old-fashionedly belongs to her husband of 13 years, actor Michael Ansara, and their six-year-old son Matthew Michael. "I met Michael on a studio-arranged blind date," Barbara recalled. "I was doing 'How to Marry a Millionaire' (TV series) and he was Cochise in 'Broken Arrow' (also TV). He didn't really want to take me to the publicity party but finally gave in. He showed up at the studio make-up department before the make-up man was finished getting me ready. I was so embarrassed!"

Undaunted, Michael was sufficiently impressed to ask her to dinner before their scheduled appearance. They enjoyed each other's company so much, they didn't arrive at the party until all the other guests—and photographers—had left! Two months later, they were married.

Because both are in show business, their marriage has had to sustain some unusual pressures. They are often separated. Barbara's career has had easier sledding than Michael's. However, both insist, that because they are actors, they've been able to adjust to one another much better. "When Barbara works in a series, she's gone from five in the morning until seven at night and then comes home tired, showers, takes a nap, studies her lines. If I wasn't in the business myself, I feel it would disturb me greatly," admitted Michael. Said Barbara, "I am sure a normal nine-to-five businessman wouldn't understand at all. Nor would he have the patience. I couldn't get along without the hours and hours Michael helps me every night, learning lines! And because he knows I have to concentrate a certain amount of time during the day, he keeps Matthew busy while I study."

Barbara and Michael are self-contained, were never anxious to be part of the traditional Hollywood scene. "We haven't deliberately avoided going out," Barbara explained. "Occasionally I love parties! But there are only so many hours in a day, and if you have a script to learn and a small son to look after and you want to spend some time with him, you can't go out, too!"

Barbara's upbringing is evident in every phase of her life. "By today's standards I was raised strictly. Manners were very important in our family. My parents always had to know where I was, and I was not allowed to stay out past 12 when I was in high school. We are raising Matthew with love, and he's a very happy little boy. But he has rules to live by, and he knows it. He isn't allowed to make other people's lives uncomfortable. We all live together, and we can't think just about ourselves."

She has quite a head on her shoulders. She clearly anticipated the turn of events that foreshadowed the demise of films as *the* entertainment. With Michael's help, she began easing into other facets of show business. Since she had done her first musical at 16, she was a natural for night-club work. Audiences loved her. She is equally successful with summer stock. Earlier this year she starred in "The Unsinkable Molly Brown" and "Sound of Music." She constantly appears on TV panel shows. There isn't any facet of show business that down-to-earth Barbara can't handle. "I don't think show business is in such a healthy state that you can say I will only do this or that. I think you better be ready to do just about everything."

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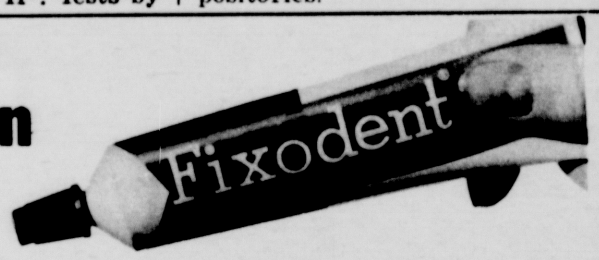
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Weekend Shopper

By Susan Paine



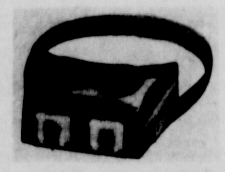
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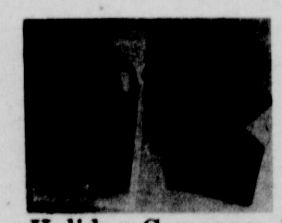
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COOKBOOK/By Melanie DeProft

Christmas Breakfast: A Bacon-Sausage-Toast Platter

Christmas Day is Big Breakfast Day. Surprise your family with this hearty, man-sized dish.



Shredded coconut and thawed frozen strawberries are served with this festive Christmas platter along with coffee and sherbet-topped grapefruit sections.

BACON-SAUSAGE-TOAST PLATTER

8 to 12 slices white bread, oven dried
2 eggs, beaten until light and frothy
1 cup heavy cream
1 cup milk
4 tablespoons all-purpose flour
2 tablespoons sugar
1 teaspoon ground cardamom or ground nutmeg
Butter or margarine
Canadian-style bacon
Bacon curls
Pork sausage links

1. Set 8 to 12 slices of white bread onto cake racks on a baking sheet, and put into a 250°F. oven. Allow oven door to remain partially open while bread is drying, about 15 to 20 min. Remove from oven, trim crusts, and cut slices diagonally into halves, or into Christmas-tree-shapes.
2. Add the heavy cream and milk gradually to the beaten eggs, beating until blended.
3. Thoroughly mix flour, sugar, and cardamom or nutmeg and sprinkle over egg mixture. Beat until blended.
4. Thoroughly heat desired amount of butter or margarine in a large skillet.
5. Meanwhile, soak dried bread pieces (turning once) in the egg mixture, about 1 min. Using a slotted spatula, drain slightly and transfer to the hot skillet. Brown on both sides.
6. Transfer to hot serving platters along with the hot slices of Canadian-style bacon, bacon curls, and pork sausage links. Tuck in pineapple slices, as in photo.
7. If desired, sprinkle hot toast with confectioners' sugar or serve with thawed frozen strawberries and coconut, or maple syrup. *8 servings.*

Meat for Platter: Using the desired amount of bacon, Canadian-style bacon, and pork sausage links, arrange bacon slices, Canadian-style bacon slices, and pork sausage links (allowing space between links) on racks in shallow pans. Heat in a 400°F. oven 3 to 5 min. for Canadian-style bacon; about 10 min. for bacon; and 20 to 25 min. (turning after 15 min.) for sausage links. To make bacon curls, roll hot slices around tines of a dinner fork.

CREAMY CRANBERRY SHERBET

2½ cups cranberries, washed and sorted
1¼ cups water
1½ cups sugar
¼ cup orange juice
1 tablespoon lemon juice
1 cup chilled whipping cream

1. Combine cranberries and water in a saucepan; cook until skins pop. Force through a sieve or food mill. Immediately add the sugar and fruit juices; stir until sugar is dissolved. Cool and chill mixture.
2. Beat cream until of medium consistency (piles softly). Fold into chilled cranberry mixture and turn into refrigerator trays. Freeze until mushy.
3. Spoon cranberry mixture into chilled bowl and beat until smooth but not melted. Return to trays and freeze until firm. *About 12 servings.*

BELGIAN CHRISTMAS COOKIES

1⅔ cups sifted all-purpose flour
1½ teaspoons baking powder
½ teaspoon salt
⅔ cup butter
1 teaspoon almond extract
1 cup firmly packed dark brown sugar
2 eggs
½ cup unblanched almonds, finely chopped
½ teaspoon ground cinnamon
2 teaspoons red decorative sugar
2 teaspoons green decorative sugar

1. Sift flour, baking powder, and salt together. Set aside.
2. Cream butter with extract in a mixing bowl. Add brown sugar gradually, creaming thoroughly after each addition. Beat in eggs one at a time, continuing to beat until fluffy.
3. Add flour mixture in thirds, mixing just until blended after each addition. Turn into a greased 15x10x1-in. jelly roll pan and spread evenly to edges (layer will be thin; a flat wooden pop stick may be used to even batter).
4. Sprinkle a mixture of almonds and cinnamon over batter, then sprinkle with a mixture of red and green sugars. With the back of a spoon pat gently onto batter.
5. Bake at 375°F. 10 to 12 min. Avoid overbaking. Cut into 1½-in. squares while warm. *About 5 doz. cookies.*

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Don't Let Winter Make You Look Older

Winter can come as a sudden shocking surprise to your skin. You've been reveling in the crisp autumn weather when, quite unexpectedly, chilling winter creeps up on you. And usually your complexion is the first thing to show signs of the harsh new season.

The abrupt drops in temperature, artificial indoor heating, the first wintry winds all seem to conspire to cause your complexion to become dry and older-looking. Before you know it, your skin can lose the warm, moisty glow that has made you look radiant and vitally alive for past months.

Luckily, you can easily protect your complexion from the onslaught of winter weather. Researchers have discovered the secrets of a highly unusual beauty blend, with a unique combination of tropical moisturizing oils that does wonders to combat the ravages of winter. This skin-pampering formulation is known in the United States as Oil of Olay moisturizing fluid, and is used by young-looking, beauty-conscious women all over the world. You will find the precious blend at druggists and beauty counters.

Oil of Olay works in many ways to help your complexion achieve its maximum possible prettiness. Nature's own ingredients in Oil of Olay penetrate the highly-visible surface layer of the skin, helping nature itself maintain the delicate balance of oil and moisture that is essential if your complexion is to remain its freshest and most youthful-looking. Oil of Olay also forms a helpful barrier that retains the skin's own moisture, particularly important at this time of year. After only a few applications, you'll notice an important difference in the look and feel of your complexion.



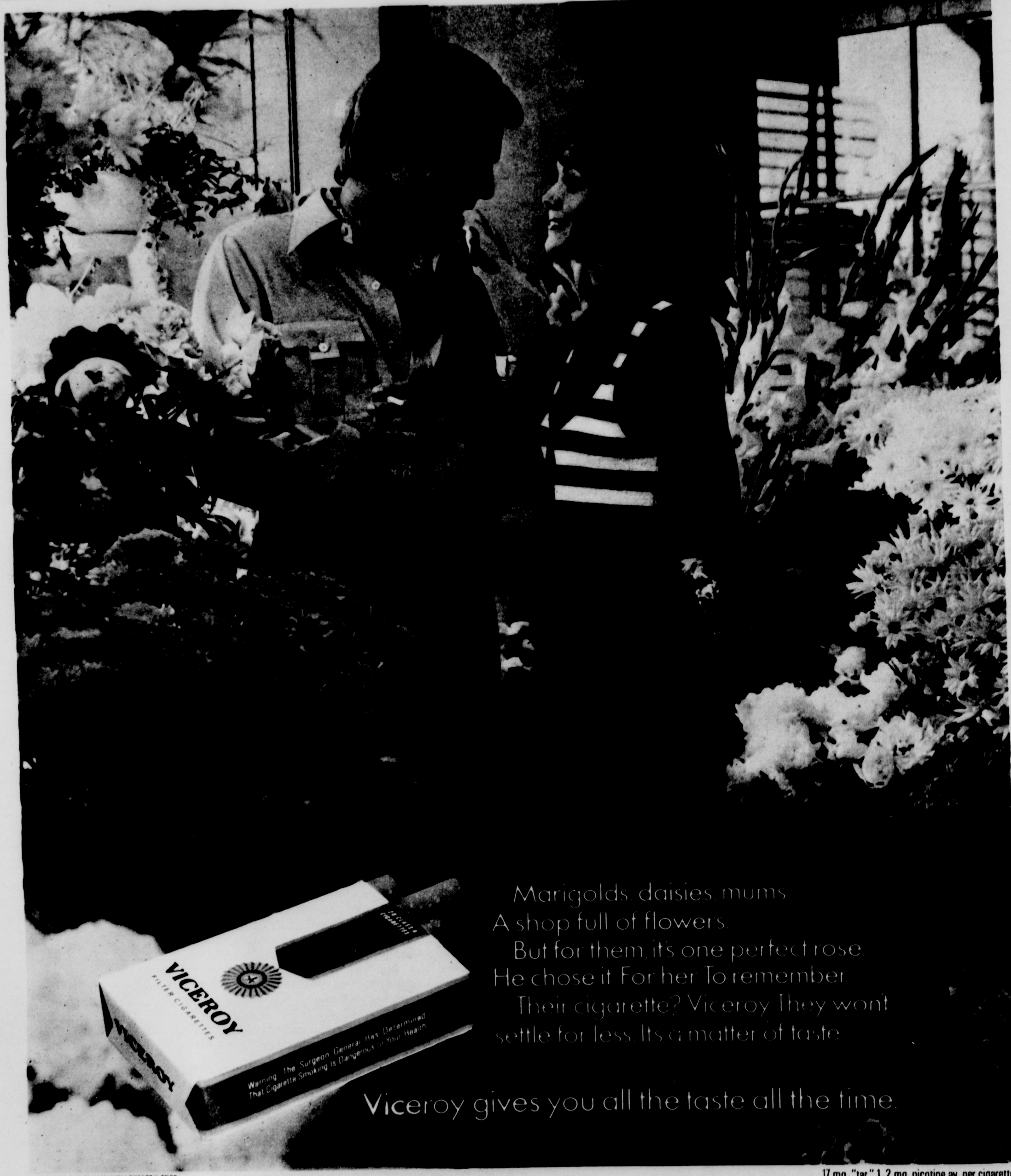
Most women who truly care for their skin use Oil of Olay moisturizing fluid both morning and evening. It spreads so evenly and penetrates so quickly that it acts as an ideal makeup base. Cosmetics won't ever streak or discolor as the hours pass.

Beauty Hints

Whenever you come in from the chill outdoors, apply a light soothing film of Oil of Olay over your face and throat. Pay extra pampering attention to areas where rough winter clothing rubs and chafes against delicate skin.

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What in the World!



DANCER SOEREN & FIANCEE
One leg, but still dancing

Soeren Skjoldemose, 23, was a working member of The Royal Danish Ballet, when he had such a terrible motor scooter accident that his leg had to be amputated. Undaunted, he practiced using his artificial limb and his physical therapy diligently every day. After a year, he has now rejoined his company and is actually able to continue his dancing career.

P.S. He also became engaged to marry Annette Skouner in Copenhagen.

Can this be an expert chef talking? Listen: "... Food must taste like what it is. Anything added must enhance this taste, not change or camouflage it ... If you lack an ingredient for a recipe, omit it; most receipes have too many ingredients anyway ... I think soufflés are a pain in the neck. Why go through all that aggravation when the same amount of energy can produce an entire meal of elegant proportions?" And while you're doing all that work, why not enjoy it? Have a glass of wine; it's the perfect kitchen drink." (From chef Joe Hyde's book, "Love, Time & Butter," Dutton $12.50)

You want your dog to be just as happy as you are at Christmas, so you'll share your holiday goodies with him. Right? Wrong, say the experts, and they've got their fingers crossed. As much as proud owners like to think so, dogs are not "just like human beings," at least not in their digestive systems. Most dog owners know that turkey bones will splinter and choke their pet; but they'll share their cocktail hors d'oeuvres or poultry dressing or rich desserts to make up for it. That has to be a no-no, since dogs simply can't digest all these things.



BEAUTIFUL JENNIFER
"Gray hair? So what?"

Jennifer O'Neill, who's being called every man's idea of the unattainable woman since her triumph in "Summer of '42," is only 24. But already she has quite a few strands of gray hair—which she just leaves there. "That's the least of my worries," she told us. "Maybe I'll let it go all white. Most of my life I haven't liked my face. In school, I didn't have many friends. I was taller than the boys and skinny. Actually, I'd rather look like everyone else." Jennifer's made a new movie ("Such Good Friends" for Paramount) and is working on another one, but she seems indifferent to that beautiful face of hers. The day we talked to Jennifer, she was wearing her brown and gray hair pulled back in a kind of peruke and very little apparent make-up. She isn't sure she wants to be a celebrity. "I don't like being put on a pedestal," she said.

DATES: Wednesday is the first day of winter, beginning with the solstice at 7:42 a.m., EST. **Saturday** is Christmas.

ANNIVERSARIES: The Pilgrims landed at Plymouth, Mass., 351 years ago **Tuesday.**

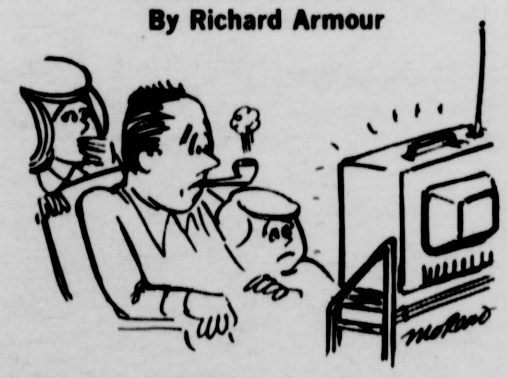
BIRTHDAYS: Sunday—Al Kaline is 37; Leonid Brezhnev 65; Irene Dunne 67. **Tuesday**—David Susskind is 51; Jane Fonda 34. **Wednesday**—Lady Bird Johnson is 59; **Friday**—Ava Gardner is 49; Howard Hughes 66. **Saturday**—Cab Calloway is 64; Rod Serling 49; Conrad Hilton 84.



BIRTHDAY PEOPLE:
Al Kaline and Jane Fonda

Quips & Quotes

NEVER ON WEDNESDAY
By Richard Armour



My wife and I can't both be gone,
Not Wednesday nights, at least,
For then a TV show is on
That I shall call "The Beast."

We've watched it, now, week after week,
With spellbound gaze we've looked,
And, such the plotter's shrewd technique,
I must confess we're hooked.

Each episode unended ends,
Suspense is at its height.
So ask us out to dinner, friends,
But not on Wednesday night.



THROUGH A CHILD'S EYES

Kids see life differently. Send contributions to "Child," Family Weekly, 641 Lexington Ave., N. Y., N. Y. 10022. $10 if used—none returned.

Our little girl was proudly learning to ride her new bike. The only flaw in her pleasure was the need for training wheels. None of the older kids needed training wheels, so why should she? The problem finally resolved itself, though, when one day she saw a small plane coming in for a landing at a nearby airport. "Look, Daddy," she squealed, "airplanes have training wheels, too!" —*Mr. M.P.T.*
Grand Rapids, Mich.

The young have their visions; the old settle for revisions.
—Walter H. Schmidt

A husband, worried by a fall-off in his business, suggested that his wife fire the maid for the time being and do a little housework herself.

"I think you're the one who's going to have to fire her," the wife pointed out. "After all, she's *your* mother."
—Dorothea Kent

The big thing now is split-level homes. Thirty years ago if you lived over a garage, you kept quiet about it.
—Henry E. Leabo

The first woman we happened to meet at a ski resort was a woman on crutches. She volunteered the details of her accident and then she added, "I just didn't realize that the laws of gravity were so strict...."
—Angie Papadakis

CHRISTMAS GIFT WRAPPING
When I put the paper around it,
Planning to bind, tie and surround it,
The edges don't quite come together,
Making me wonder, ponder whether
I should take scissors and snip at it,
To piece it, make it a better fit,
Muttering what I had known before:
I should have had it wrapped
at the store. —*Colleen Stanley Bare*



"Daddy's in his hidey-hole."

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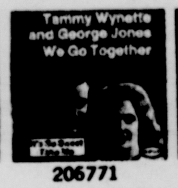


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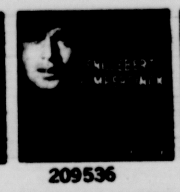
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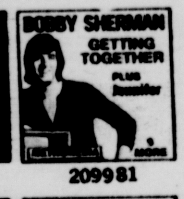


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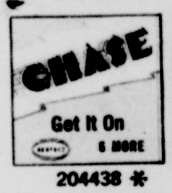


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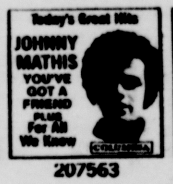

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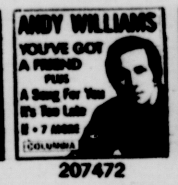
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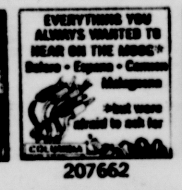
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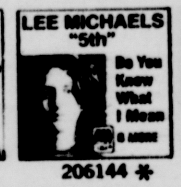
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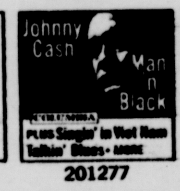
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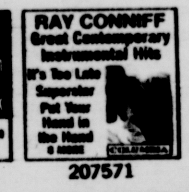
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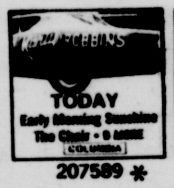


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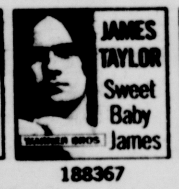


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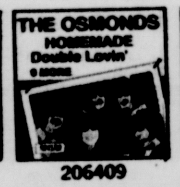
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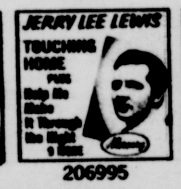
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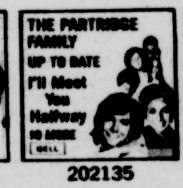
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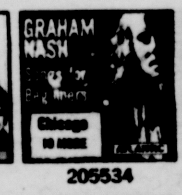
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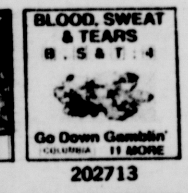
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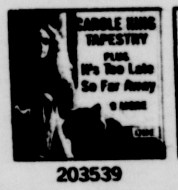
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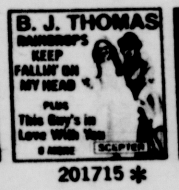
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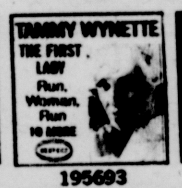
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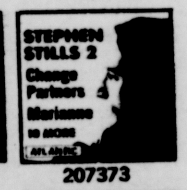
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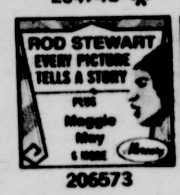
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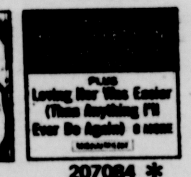


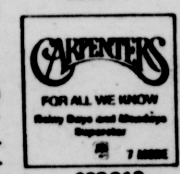
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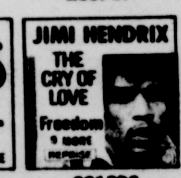
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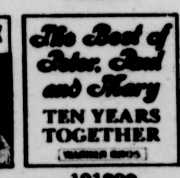

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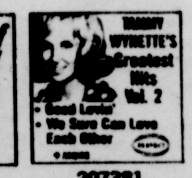
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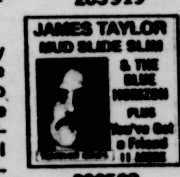
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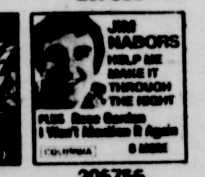
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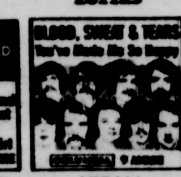

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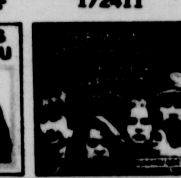
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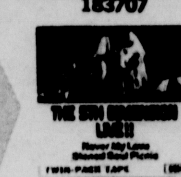
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TWIN PACKS . . . each is equivalent to 2 single tapes—yet each counts as only one selection



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* Selections marked with a star are not available in reel tapes

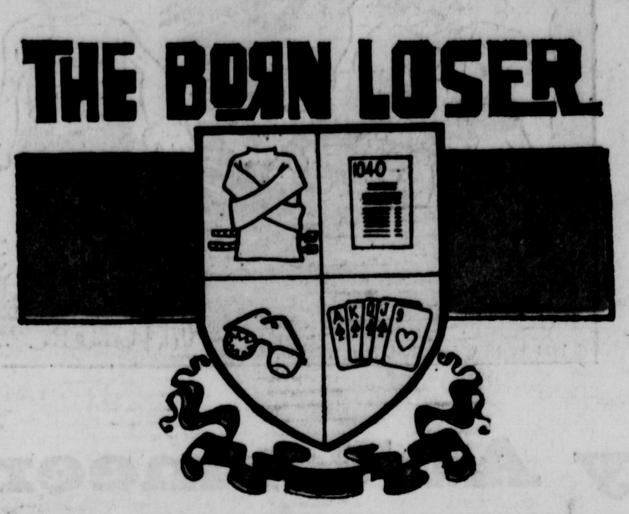
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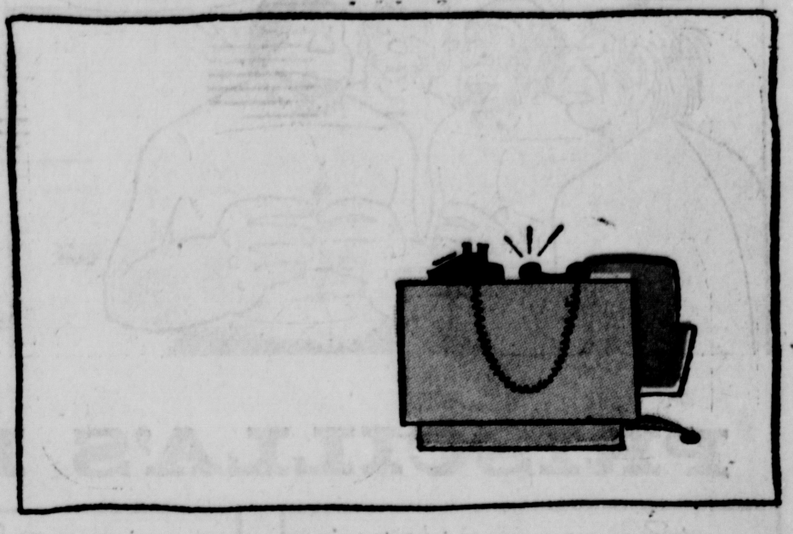
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LANCELOT by Coker & Penn













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ALLEY OOP

by V. T. Hamlin



PRISCILLA'S POP

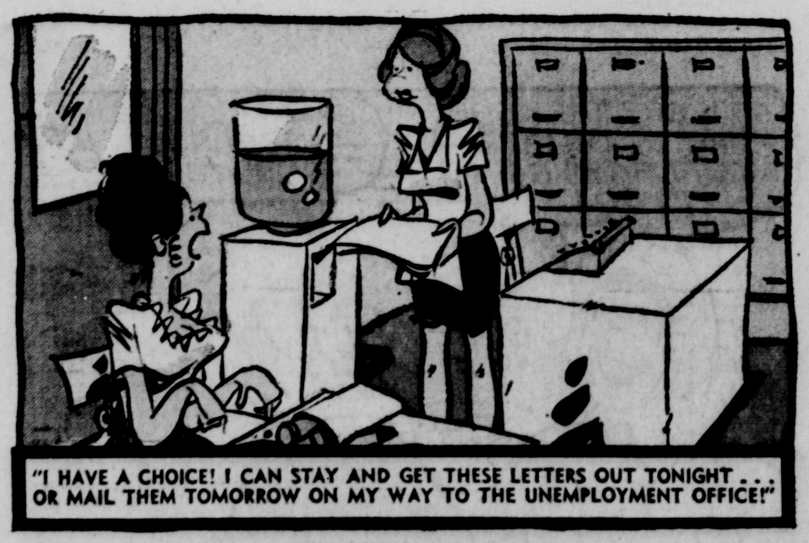
by Al Vermeer



CARNIVAL



"DID YOU SEE A LITTLE BOY ON A MINIBIKE COME PAST HERE?"



"I HAVE A CHOICE! I CAN STAY AND GET THESE LETTERS OUT TONIGHT . . . OR MAIL THEM TOMORROW ON MY WAY TO THE UNEMPLOYMENT OFFICE!"



"I CONSIDER A NEW HAT AN ANTIDEPRESSANT, WHOSE SIDE EFFECTS ARE FELT ONLY BY THE HUSBAND!"



"FITS LIKE A GLOVE, EH? I PRESUME YOU MEAN A BOXING GLOVE?"



"BY GEORGE, CASPER, I'D LIKE TO SEE THEM REPLACE US WITH A COMPUTER!"

WINTHROP

by Dick Cavalli



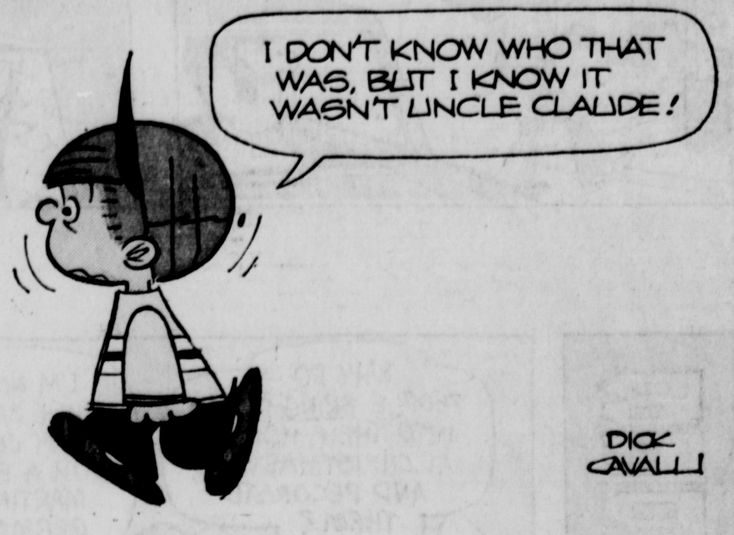








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DICK CAVALLI

FRECKLES AND HIS FRIENDS

by HENRY FORMHALS

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JOHNNY WONDER

by Dick Rogers



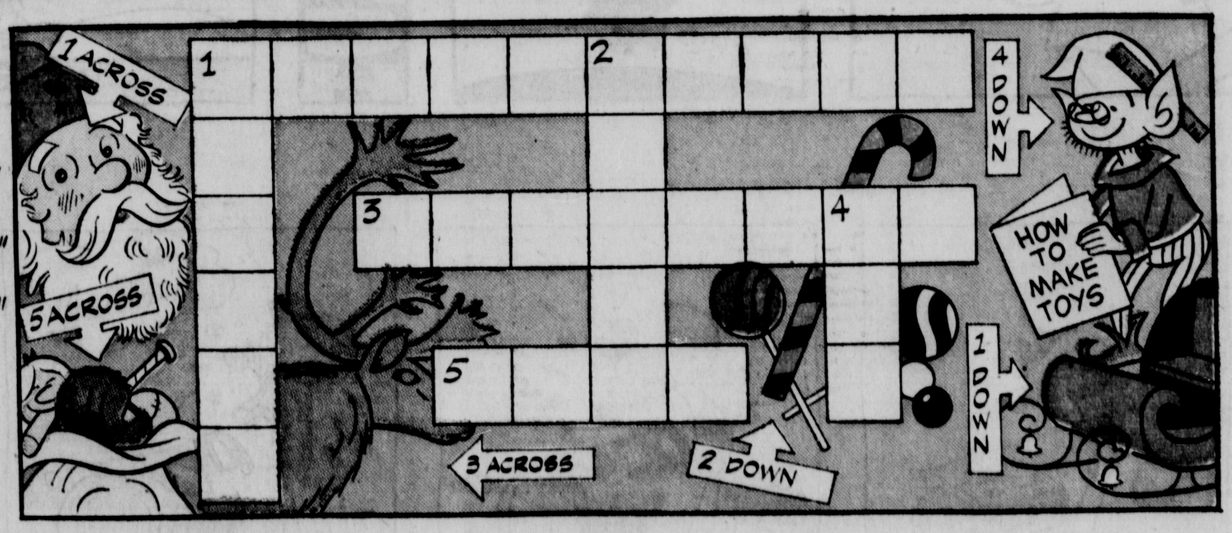
MINI QUIZ.... FOR YOUR CHRISTMAS SHOPPING LIST...

MOTHER SAID, "BUY A PRESENT FOR MY BROTHER."

SISTER SAID, "BUY ONE FOR OUR UNCLE, TOO."

GRANNY SAID, "AND DON'T FORGET MY SON!"

HOW MANY PRESENTS WILL YOU NEED TO BUY? (SEE ANSWER BOX)



MINI facts....



IN EARLY PURITAN DAYS, IT WAS A CRIME TO CELEBRATE CHRISTMAS.



NATURE COLORS

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REINDEER LIVE IN THE COLD ARCTIC REGIONS. IN SOME COUNTRIES, REINDEER ARE TAMED TO PULL SLEIGHS. IN NORTH AMERICA, REINDEER ARE CALLED CARIBOU.



COLOR THE REINDEER BROWN.

THIS WEEK'S TOP PRIZE QUESTION:

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JOHNNY'S MAIL BOX

THE CUSTOM OF DECORATING THE HOME AND CHURCHES WITH EVERGREENS BEGAN IN ANCIENT TIMES, WHEN PEOPLE EXCHANGED GREEN TREE BRANCHES ON THE FIRST DAY OF JANUARY FOR GOOD LUCK...



...THIS CUSTOM WAS ADOPTED BY THE ENGLISH FOR THE CHRISTMAS SEASON. THE GERMANS WERE PROBABLY THE FIRST TO DECORATE THE CHRISTMAS TREE WITH ANGELS AND OTHER PRETTY ORNAMENTS.

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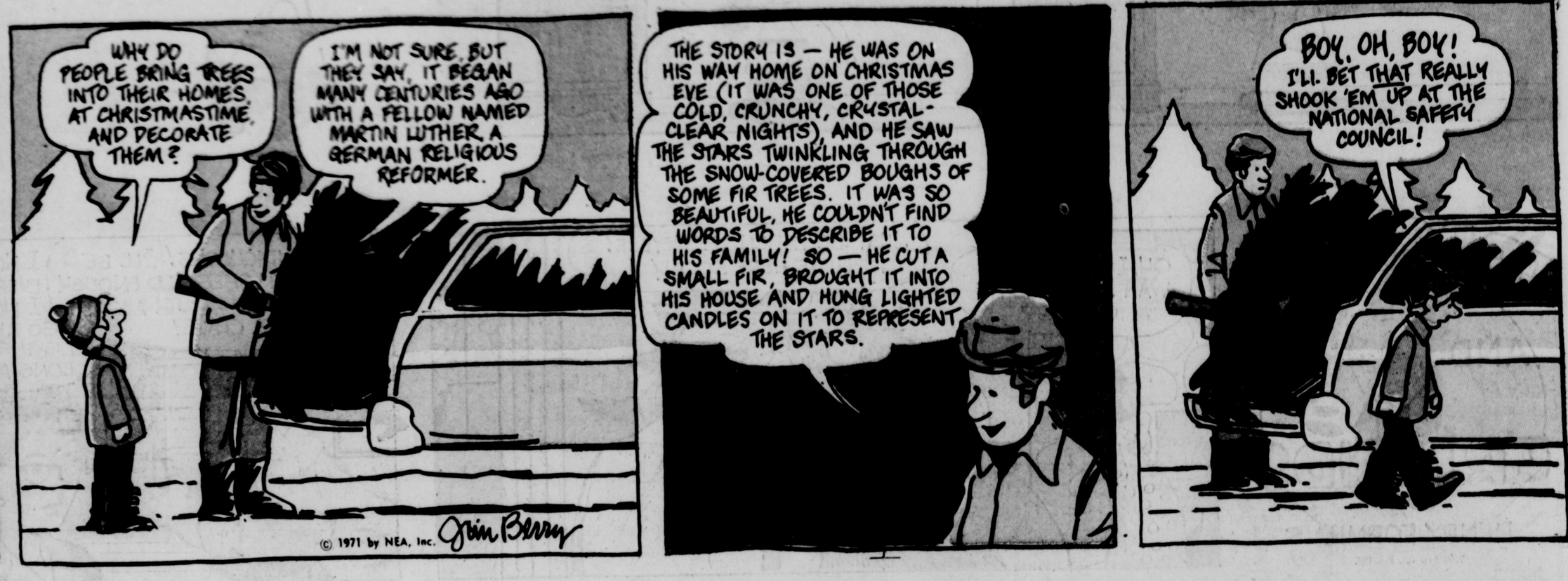
CAMPUS CLATTER

FROM DOOLITTLE COLLEGE

by Larry Lewis



DUPLEX DOLAN



SHORT RIBS

by FRANK O'NEAL



EEK & MEEK

by Howie Schneider





POLLY'S

DEAR POLLY—I use a large Parmesan cheese can for a flour shaker, and do not waste so much when flouring food. —GEORGANE



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DEAR POLLY—When I macrame such things as belts, I find it easier when I take the long strands of jute, yarn, etc., and wrap them around my hand several times till a length is reached that is easy to work with. Secure this with a rubber band to keep the material from tangling so badly. When more is needed, just pull the long string you are working with from the bundle.—DEBBIE

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Polly pays $1.00 for every idea used. Send them to her, c/o this newspaper.

DEAR POLLY—When baby stops drinking from a bottle, use leftover plastic filler bags for storing jewelry. Your jewelry box stays much neater, and any piece can be easily found.—ESTELL

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DEAR POLLY—Instead of covering the addresses on packages to be mailed with clear plastic tape I spray over the name and address with clear plastic spray. It is indelible and less expensive. —MRS. A. G. G.

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DEAR POLLY—Quite by accident, I discovered the best bags I have ever used for straining juice for jelly. Having nothing else on hand, I used two thicknesses of white nylon net to make a jelly sack that really strains the juice, washes out clean and can be used all season.—IRENE

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DEAR POLLY—The pans hung on hooks inside the door of a kitchen cabinet used to make so much noise every time I opened or closed the door that I nailed a small strip of foam rubber across the door at the point where the pans hit. This certainly lessens the noise.—VERABLE





DEAR POLLY—To make wonderful pillow covers to use while traveling, I use the lightweight terry towels the size of bed pillows, and sew two sides and one end together. Sew a zipper in the other end.—MRS. H. E. M.

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DEAR POLLY—An old percolator with a coffee basket makes a neat-looking grease strainer and container to keep on the stove.—JERRY

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DEAR POLLY—To get my oven racks really clean, and with little work, I soak them overnight in a tub of hot water with laundry detergent added. Sometimes I add baking soda, too. The next day, a gentle wipe with a sponge or piece of nylon net gets them spanking clean.—RUTH

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DEAR POLLY—To hide my roll-away bed, I made a three-sided cover of two-by-twos, plywood and a plywood top. The exterior is of leftover maple paneling put on horizontally, and I added six large wooden drawer pulls, varnished to match. Casters make it roll easily. When slipped over the bed, it looks like a chest of drawers.—PENNY



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BUGS BUNNY by Stoffel & Heimdahl



OUT OUR WAY The Willets by Ed Sullivan



UP ANCHOR!

KREIGH COLLINS

KEVIN WAS DOING A THOROUGH JOB OF CHECKING-OUT THE HULL OF HEATHER AS PART OF THE PREPARATION FOR OUR PROJECTED TRANSATLANTIC CROSSING OF THE COMING SEASON. USUALLY, IT WAS NOT JOLLY BOATING WEATHER.

YOU'RE STARTING YOUR SPRING "MAKEREADY" REALLY EARLY, MARLIN!

NOT EARLY ENOUGH, CONSIDERING ALL THAT HAS TO BE DONE!

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"I NEVER REALIZED HOW MUCH PLANNING I HAD TO DO—FOOD, MOSTLY—AND I APPRECIATED THE NOTES SENT BY THE DEHYDE COMPANY DIETITIAN"

REFLECTING ON FOOD, ISN'T PEDRO DUE PRETTY SOON WITH THAT SURVIVAL RAFT AND STUFF?

YUP! THAT DINKY CAR WILL BE HALF-SUNK UNDER THE LOAD.

"WE NEVER SUSPECTED PEDRO WAS SO NEAR --NOR WHAT, WAS GOING ON."

CARAMBA! INFANTE--!

BOBBY! BOBBY!

MISTER, ARE YOU HURT?

ARE YOU ALIVE?

CAPTAIN EASY by Crooks & Lawrence

LOOKS LIKE TROUBLE FOR POOR EASY!

BLASTED SHAME! LITTLE ETHELBERTA FALLIN' VICTIM TO THE WILES OF A CAD LIKE YOU!

BLAZES! IF I CAN JUST FIND THAT SPIKED TIMBER I MISSED DRIVING UP HERE ...AH, THERE IT IS!

BANG!

'FRAID WE'VE GOT A FLAT TIRE, SUH!

CONFOUND IT, MAN...THEN PUT ON THE SPARE!

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HMPH! WIND RATHER KEEN, BUT A HUNTER'S MOON! COULD'VE BEEN OUT STALKING MOOSE... EXCEPT FOR THAT BOUNDER!

NOW'S MY CHANCE TO BEAT IT!

BR-R-R! GOOD THING I GRABBED THIS CAR ROBE!

MAY NEED IT IF I HAVE TO SKULK IN THE WOODS ALL NIGHT, GIVING THEM THE SLIP!

YUP! COMES WADDLIN' THRU THE BRUSH THERE EVERY NIGHT, BUT THE TRAP'S ALL SET!

AHA, MON AMI! WE 'AVE BEAR MEAT IN ZE MORNING!

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OUR BOARDING HOUSE by Les Carroll

WHY WASTE ALL THAT ENERGY SHOVELING, BAXTER, WHEN THERE'LL BE SIX INCHES MORE SNOW ON YOUR WALK BY MORNING?

YOU'RE OUT OF YOUR INERT SKULL, AMOS! THE PAPER SAYS THIS STUFF WILL STOP BY EVENING!

HAR-RUMPH! IT SO HAPPENS I HAVE ACCESS TO INSIDE...

NEXT YOU'LL TELL ME YOU'RE A COUSIN OF JACK FROST!

IN CASE MRS. BAXTER GAVE YOU YOUR ALLOWANCE THIS WEEK, I'LL WAGER YOU...

ROBBING THE TEAPOT AGAIN, MAJOR? I'LL TAKE YOU UP ON IT THAT MY WALK WILL BE CLEAN IN THE MORNING!

LATER THAT NIGHT...

THANK YOU, BAXTER!

IF HE'D BEEN AT COUNCIL MEETING, HE'D KNOW THE SNOW-PLOWS RUN AFTER MIDNIGHT FOLLOWING SNOWFALLS OF OVER THREE INCHES--HAW!

I'LL GET EVEN IF I HAVE TO STAY AWAKE ALL WINTER TO DO IT--BAH!

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